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Fortnightly bin collections

Councillor issues health warning over proposed changes in waste rota

by Paul Crompton

BIN collections are set to become fortnightly in Bridport.

Cost cutting plans to change the way household waste is collected are expected to be agreed by the district council next week.

But a fear that the move will attract vermin such as rats as waste piles up has been sounded by Bridport town and county councillor Karl Wallace.

Proposals to change the waste collection from its current weekly rota will go before members of West Dorset District Council's executive committee on December 13th.

Household waste is currently collected by WDDC and disposed of by the Dorset Waste Partnership.

But Councillor Wallace warns the halving of collections will cause health risks within the town.

The nurse said: "Where fortnightly collections have been introduced there's an increase in vermin like rats, mice and cockroaches because the waste is lying around longer so vermin identify that as a food source."

"You may have the food

waste collections, which is good, but vermin will still rip open the bin bags. Rats are not going to think there's no food in a bag if it's laying around and we've had this problem before in the town centre with seagulls ripping open bags.

"For two weeks potentially there will be medical waste and other food items people may get rid of, which will attract vermin, that will be laying around."

WDDC members will consider joining the 'Joint Municipal Waste Strategy'

at next week's meeting.

It is thought the district council could save £304,977 a year by joining the county-wide scheme.

The hope is that by linking Dorset councils it will save money and improve waste and recycling services.

If the county-wide scheme is introduced residents would be given wheelie bins, which are hoped to reduce mess and problems caused by seagulls and other animals.

Bridport mayor Councillor David Rickard said there was no excuse for

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WARNING: Councillor Karl Wallace believes changes to waste collection could have health issues

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Marjorie Rowe

Rosemary, Pamela, James and families would like to thank all relatives and friends for the overwhelming amount of cards, letters and messages of sympathy received. Our grateful thanks to the doctors and nurses for the care given to Marjorie. Thanks also to everyone who attended the Funeral and gave donations so generously. Special thanks to the Reverend John Streeting for taking the Service and to Julian and Karen Hussey and all at W. G. Potter Funeral Directors for their support and attention to detail.

ELEPHANT enthusiast Kirsten Taylor is working hard in Lyme Regis having just setup her first shop in the town.

Since the shop opened a month ago Kirsten has been working seven days a week in "Elephant's Earwax" selling a range of unique handmade candles and room sprays, as well as quirky decorations for the home.

If that is not enough to keep Kirsten busy, this week she will be moving to Lyme Regis with her fiancé Paul Bester and her two children Taegan and Megan, who both attend St Michael's Primary School.

The adventurous couple share a love for the outdoors and earlier this year climbed Mount Aconcagua to raise funds for Cancer Research.

■ HOW did the idea for a shop come about?

It was an idea we had that just escalated really. It was a hobby but, to stop me spending so much money on candles, it turned into this.

■ WHERE did the name "Elephant's Earwax" come from?

I love elephants and I like everything earthy, I like things with an Indian or South African feel. Paul was the last addition to my collection really, because he's South African. It was all based around that. The earwax part Paul came up with, it's just genius and I love it.

■ WHAT do you love about elephants?

I was lucky enough to go to Goa with my dad and we spent sometime in the jungle and we were with elephants all the time. We rode the elephants, we fed them, we washed them in the river. There is just something magical about elephants and from a small child I have always collected carvings and anything to do with elephants. They must have their trunk up though, because its bad luck otherwise.

■ WHAT has the response been like since the shop opened?

It's been really positive and everyone has been really supportive. All the local shops have just been amazing, they have been making me cups of tea and giving me advice, really lovely. The support from the mums at the girls' school has been great as well. I've been doing parties in the evenings and so I've had lots of support from them. Everyone has been really positive who has come in the shop, saying it's nice to have something unusual in Lyme. Generally it's been really positive, we just need



more people in the town.

■ DO you host private parties as well then?

I've done one party where I opened the shop up after hours but before that I was doing home parties as well. Now I just don't have the time but if people wanted it I could look into getting someone to do it, but at the moment it's just me in here. We've got four kids so I do need to be at home some times.

■ IF people want to find that unique gift this Christmas, which of your products would you recommend?

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Well we make our own candles here so they are completely unique to Lyme Regis. We use premium grade oils from America, because you have to be careful to use the right oils when you make candles. We are doing Christmas gift hampers as well, and we are taking order on those at the moment. They come in three different sizes and include our candles, room sprays, pot-pourri, candle holders, all products based around home fragancing.

■ DO you have any Christmas candles?

We have two Christmas candles, which are 'Fire and Spice' and 'Bengal Butter', they are the most popular candles at the moment. 'Fire and Spice' is like woody smells and spices and Bengal Butter is predominately ginger. There are other ingredients in there as well but we don't want to giveaway any trade secrets.

■ WHAT are the best and worst presents you have ever received?

That's hard, Paul is very romantic, always buying me little gifts and things, he's very thoughtful. For my birthday he's just taken me to South Africa. We climbed Aconcagua in Argentina in January, you could say that was a Christmas present. That was just amazing and we raised lots of money for Cancer Research. I am bringing out a Cancer Research candle in the New Year as well because I want to continue to support them. My worst present was a mustard brown jumper with a horse's head on it, it was hideous.

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Vermin warning over fortnightly bin collections

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people to put rubbish out that attracts vermin but understood some homes lacked space for storing waste.

He said: "If people are recycling plastic, glass and tins and recycling food then doorstep rubbish going out every two weeks should not be a problem.

"Except, maybe, in one or two places where people are living in flats where they really don't have the space to store anything."

Residents were asked for their views on waste and recycling services during the consultation exercise on the 'Joint Municipal Waste Strategy'.

These views were taken into account when the new improved service was designed said a WDDC spokesman.

Kate Hindson, WDDC director of communities, said, in the current climate, saving money by councils working together was vital.

She said: "The council is keen to save every penny to help keep our council tax one of the lowest in the country and to protect our frontline services.

"Having a county-wide waste and recycling service is

worth considering as it could save money and increase recycling."

More details on the proposals can be found at www.dorsetforyou.com/dorsetwasteservice

The new service could be introduced in West Dorset at the beginning in 2014.

● THE new 'Joint Municipal Waste Strategy' service will be run by the Dorset Waste Partnership, which West Dorset District Council has signed up to join in April 2013.

Under the scheme there will be a weekly food waste collection, a fortnightly recycling collection of glass, card, paper, plastics, batteries, tins and cans; and a fortnightly collection of left over non-recyclable waste to go to landfill.

Residents would also be offered a fortnightly charged garden waste collection service.

Special communal bins will be provided for residents living in flats and special arrangements will be made for residents who cannot store wheelie bins.

Dorset residents threw away more than 82,428 tonnes of rubbish last year. Every household sent more than 425 kg to landfill, the same weight as six washing machines.

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The teams will take to the streets with new noise monitoring equipment to tackle vehicle related anti-social behaviour in the area.

The new equipment, which is currently used by ten different police forces countrywide, will be used to measure decibel levels emitted from car exhausts.

If the noise levels exceed the legal limit the police will have the option to issue a £30 fixed penalty ticket to the driver.

Bridport Town Community Beat Officer, PC Mike Brown, said: "We take a large number of calls from the public in relation to anti-social behaviour caused by vehicles. The major complaint made is the noise emitted by the vehicle.

"I was able to make a successful bid for this equipment and we should be using it by the end of this month.

"This will give us a great opportunity to tackle this issue and improve the quality of life for residents of Bridport, West Bay and Lyme Regis.

"The pilot will also be rolled out in the Dorchester area."

To find out more about your local Safer Neighbourhood Team call Dorset Police on 101, or visit www.dorset.police.uk

Women arrested for assault

TWO Bridport women are on bail for assault.

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MEMBERS of The Standing Commission with group of carers and representatives from NHS Dorset and Dorset County Council

Fact-finding mission to improve carer services

THE Standing Commission on Carers, an independent advisory body that provides expert advice to Government ministers, recently spent three days in Dorset on a fact-finding mission to gain an insight into good practice and find out what carers think of services available.

The visit was organised by Dorset County Council in partnership with NHS Dorset and had a strong focus on carer support.

The delegation, headed by Dame Philippa Russell, OBE, Chair of the Standing Commission on Carers, met with groups of carers, providers and managers to hear firsthand about carers' experiences and how carers continue to influence service developments in the county.

Highlights of the visit included meetings with young carers and specialist support workers as well as a chance to take part in training for carers provided by St John Ambulance.

Paul St Quintin, Strategic Commissioning Manager for Adult and Community Services at Dorset County Council, said: "Carers remain very high on the agenda in Dorset and we are striving to improve the services on offer throughout the county."

"Carers and professionals had the opportunity to share their views on challenges and opportunities for carers during the visit."

"Stronger integration of health and social care has helped to provide a better service, and the Commission

were interested to see how this work is progressing in Dorset.

"All too often carers experience social isolation and also poverty as a result of having to give up work to become a full-time carer."

"Carers save the Government an incredible £34billion a year, yet much of this work goes unrewarded."

"The visit from The Standing Commission for Carers gave us an opportunity to demonstrate how carers influence developments across the county and help to shape future services."

"The Commission are visiting ten sites nationally and we look forward to reading their report, which will be published early next year."



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■ **LADY OF LEISURE** - Honorary Secretary of the Bridport and West Dorset Sports Trust, Gail White, receives her lifetime membership from Trust Chairman Richard Salt

25 years of leisure centre service

A LONG-SERVING member of the Bridport and West Dorset Sports Trust has been recognised for 25 years service.

In her time with the trust, Honorary Secretary Gail White, has been involved in the building of the swimming pool, the refurbishment of the real tennis court, the new fitness suite, improvements to the wet and dry side changing rooms and more recently the development of the new studios.

As honorary secretary she has supported the finance and management committees with committed attendance and had a keen involvement with capital projects and the human resource side of the business.

"The quality and range of facilities now available at the Bridport Leisure Centre are a result of the hard work by our management team and the dedication of our committee members who all give their time voluntarily," she said.

"Being part of this has been interesting and immensely rewarding and I feel proud

to have been involved throughout the development of what is now a first class leisure centre."

Chairman of the Bridport and West Dorset Sports Trust, Richard Salt, presented Gail White with an honorary lifetime membership to the Bridport Leisure Centre, complete with gold membership card, to mark the milestone.

He said that Gail has been "an inspiration" to others working with the trust.

Bridport Leisure Centre manager, Nick Neale, added: "I have maximum respect for Gail and have really enjoyed working closely with her and the other directors for nearly 10 years.

"I have always felt able to discuss important personnel issues with Gail, and her experience of people and the facilities at the leisure centre, has been able to offer pertinent and sound advice.

"On a personal note, I will miss working alongside Gail, but I am sure I will continue to see her in and around the centre as an active honorary member."

Snap up a stunning print of Dorset

PRINTS of the Dorset landscape are being offered during a fundraising give-away for charity.

Artist and former Bridport town councillor, Keith Cast is just asking for donations to the Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance in exchange for a print.

Lovers of the Dorset landscape have just five days left to snap up a stunning print by Mr Cast who is celebrating 60 years in the industry at Groves Nurseries.

As an artist Keith has experienced great success, including seeing his landscape image of Corfe Castle be chosen as a winner in the National Top Ten of the Fine Art Trade Guild. This image will not



■ **PORTRAIT OF AN ARTIST** - Artist Keith Cast will be raising money for Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance to celebrate 60 years work

be available in the give-away but hundreds of prints will be on offer celebrating decades of work by the artist.

Keith will not be asking for any money for prints but is suggesting a Christmas donation of £1 be made to the Dorset and

Somerset Air Ambulance for each of his prints.

The one-time only offer will be available in Groves Nurseries until Sunday, December 11th.

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A LETTER highlighting Bridport Town Council's concerns over the loss of Portland's Coastguard Helicopter has been sent to the country's transport minister.

Members of Bridport Town Council reacted to the announcement that the Portland Coastguard Helicopter was to be withdrawn from 2017.

It was agreed, as a matter of urgency, that Town Clerk Bob Gillis should write to the Secretary of State for Transport following consideration by a group of members with knowledge of the service.

The decision was taken at the council's meeting on November 29th.

The following comments, on behalf of the town council, were sent to the Secretary of State for Transport Justine Greening:

"The Portland base is in the middle of the south west coast. It is understood that so far this year, the helicopter has carried out 191 operations, operating as a 12 hour base. This compares to Lee-On-Solent being a 24 hour base, carrying out 201 incidents.

"This demonstrates that Portland is very busy compared to other bases. The time taken to get from Portland to, for example, West Bay is a maximum (on a good flying day) of 10 minutes, compared to 30 minutes from either Lee-On-Solent or RAF Chivenor. It is considered that the additional flying time from the regional bases could have very serious implications for people in difficulty along the coast in this part of Dorset.

"So far this year, Portland Coastguard has been involved in many incidents inland from the coast, as well as covering their normal maritime role. This is due to

the air ambulance that cannot fly at night, or after dark. Also, it is understood that the local police helicopter has no medical capability and patients are laid on the floor. The coastguard helicopter provides this support as well as a paramedic.

"On numerous occasions during the summer months, all helicopters in the south west are working at the same time and at times have called for extra resources. Also during times of maintenance and/or technical problems leading to the loss of the Portland service, other helicopters have less flying time/search time in this area, due to fuel capabilities.

"There is a state of the art hangar at Portland, which will become redundant, with the loss of its building costs etc. The Government has promised Dorset that there will be a legacy from the Olympics in 2012. The loss of this service would not appear to be a good legacy from the Games and would deter people from taking part in activities along the coast without the re-assurance of adequate coastguard helicopter coverage."

The town council, alongside other local authorities and the local community, is working hard to promote the World Heritage Jurassic Coast as a safe place for visitors to enjoy. The area is one of the most popular for sports divers, for whom the loss of the helicopter could act as a severe deterrent, bearing in mind the need to get quickly to the decompression chamber at Poole hospital. The coast is also very popular with walkers and for other leisure and sporting activities and this decision could have a major impact on tourism in the area.

A businessman with time for everyone

BILL ATTRILL died on November 30th in Dorchester Hospital. Known to many for his contribution to the town through business and charity work, Bill's memory lives on through the continued success of his sons' businesses, Harbour News at West Bay and the Hive Beach Café at Burton Bradstock.

For Richard and Steve the bond they had with their father was extra special because of their working relationships and Bill's legacy of a lifetime in business.

Richard reflects: "Our parents met in 1946, in Warminster, when mum was in the ATS and dad was with the Middlesex Regiment after returning from the war in Europe. Married in 1947, he served an apprenticeship in tool-making before becoming a heating engineer."

Bill and his wife Joan moved to Bridport in 1971 as licensees of the former Royal Oak in West St. A friend from those times is Garry Hayball: "What I can say about Bill," says Garry, "Is what a thoroughly nice man he was and you could always tell before he actually appeared because of that chuckle he had."

Garry and his wife Eileen knew Bill for 40 years. "Bill and Joan moved on to the Three Horseshoes at Burton Bradstock with great success," continues Garry. "We'd visit there and I'd like to say what a well-respected business man Bill was in our community. He will be sadly missed."

Working with Bill and Joan in the Three Horseshoes were their two sons, Steve and

OBITUARY Bill Attrill



Richard, along with Richard's wife, Margaret. From 1996 onwards you would also find Tim and Mark, Richard's sons, busy in the wash-up room, clearing tables or bottling up. Being involved in the 'pub trade' was a real family affair and a great training ground.

Bill, Joan, Richard and Margaret retired from the pub in 1999. At that point Richard diversified. He ran a greetings

card business in the area and three years ago he and his wife took over Harbour News, continuing the family's involvement in local commerce. As Richard says: "Our dad taught us a lot and Steve and I feel our business acumen owes much to the way he led his life. In a nutshell, dad got on with everyone and had time for anyone - from all walks of life."

The Hive Beach Café was acquired by Bill and Joan in 1991 and managed by Melanie, Steve's then wife. Bill and Joan took a strategic role in the café, offering advice and guidance. One thing that's never changed is the family influence. Right to the end Bill helped manage the finances. He was so proud of his family. Only recently he was thrilled to hear that Steve's daughter Emily had landed a job in London with Easy Living magazine.

John Webb from the Bridport Lions adds his tribute: "Bill brought his membership of Lions with him to Bridport and the Royal Oak. He was the prime mover in the formation of Bridport Lions in 1972 and was president for its first two years."

John, who followed Bill as president of the Club said: "Bridport Lions would not be celebrating their 40th anniversary in 2012, having raised over £250,000 for local causes, without the initiative of Bill Attrill."

A Service of Thanksgiving to celebrate Bill's life will be held at 2pm on December 14th at St Mary's Church, Burton Bradstock. Refreshments will be served at the Hive at 3pm for Bill's friends and colleagues. (Contributed)



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Three month reprieve for hospital services

CAMPAIGNERS have won a three-month extension to threatened services at Bridport Community Hospital.

Plans to pull radiography, outpatient and day surgery services from Bridport have been pushed back from March to July.

The announcement came as members of Community Health Campaign (CHC) handed a 9,000 strong petition to members of Dorset Health Scrutiny Committee when they met last week.

NHS Dorset Primary Care Trust has ordered a review of services at individual community hospitals as well as consultations about proposals.

The trust has decided to fund the extra three months of services at Bridport, which is delivered by Dorset County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust.



■ HATS OFF - Bridport Hat Festival organiser, Roger Snook with freelance photographer George Wright at the launch of "Bridport Hats"

In celebration of Bridport and hats

A BOOK celebrating hat wearers of Bridport got the seal of approval at its launch night last week.

Bridport Hat Festival organiser, Roger Snook, was among the admirers of the new book from freelance photographer George Wright.

"It's a wonderful representation of the hat festival and just the character and disposition of Bridport," said Roger.

"Bridport is on the world hat map now, we are getting enquiries from all over the world and George has very kindly brought this to light. I never expected to see a book done so quickly but its very cleverly done and it represents the character

of Bridport people."

The book, "Bridport Hats", was launched at the Beach and Barnicott on Tuesday of last week.

It contains dozens of colour photographs, from both hat festivals as well as from George's archive. The photographs feature many familiar faces but, as George admits, not everyone who appears will know about it yet.

"I have been trying to collar everyone I see and tell them about it but there will be a few surprises I'm sure," he said.

He added that he was pleased with the response so far and with the approval of hat aficionado

Roger Snook.

"I knew there was a possibility Roger might not approve but as a hat man through and through I thought how could he possibly object?"

"I've had a very positive reaction so far, it's flying off the shelves and I'm cautiously optimistic that I might cover my costs. This was never about making lots of money it was just a fun thing to do and I'm pleased people are enjoying it."

The book is now available in bookshops, or directly from publishers Richmond House Editions, at a price of £17.95.

Collision witnesses sought

POLICE in Bridport are appealing for witnesses to come forward after a road traffic collision near the town.

The incident, in which a white Peugeot Partner van collided with a hedge, happened at Broadoak, just past Dunster, at around 1.40pm on Saturday, November 26th.

The driver of the van, a 29-year-old woman from Chard, sustained a broken ankle.

Police Constable Sara Mackay, of Bridport police, said: "I understand that another vehicle, possibly a black Ford or 4x4, may have passed the van at the time of the collision. It's possible that this vehicle was unaware of the seriousness of the incident.

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Festive homecoming for acting head



■ LOUIS Smith wanted youngsters to adopt a teddy

by Chris Denne

BRIDPORT Primary School held its Christmas fair on Friday, and for acting Headteacher Debbie Brown, it wasn't just the seasonal magic that made the evening special.

It was Mrs Brown's first Christmas fair since returning to the school after two years away, giving the night an emotional edge.

"It feels like coming home," she said. "There is a wonderful community here at Bridport Primary School and I am incredibly proud to be part of it."

She had good reason to be proud. The children had pulled out all the stops to help staff and parents make the evening such a success, designing posters, running stalls, and getting involved at every stage. Among the many attractions, year six pupil Louis Smith was proving a hit with his adopt-a-teddy stall. "Some people have come back eight times," he said. Abby Prowse was busy selling punch-balloons, while photography enthusiasts Carla Wood, Larissa East and Abi Holt were making money by turning portraits into Christmas cards.

Jacky Horniblow, organising her first Christmas fair, was hoping the takings would mount up, with one possible outcome a school trip to the Lyric Theatre, Barrack Street.

Mrs Brown explained how such outings have a positive impact on the students.

"Giving the children a taste of the arts outside of the school is really important," she said, adding: "We aim to ensure that all the children benefit, from reception to year six."

The hard work certainly paid off, with Mrs Horniblow reporting total of £1,850 raised.

Mrs Brown said: "I'd like to personally thank Jacky Horniblow and all the Friends of Bridport Primary School who do a huge amount for the school."

"We couldn't do these extra-curricular activities without them and we all owe them a huge thank you."



■ PHOTOGRAPHY club members Carla Wood, Abi Holt and Larissa East



■ FUTURE Bridport Primary Schoolboy Jamie Richards meets Santa

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First Open Book Festival a stunning success

THE First Bridport Open Book Festival started in style with an event underlining exactly what Open Book is about. Around 30 young people from all over Dorset, who had taken part in the Off the Page project, performed their poetry, many for the first time, to a packed house, alongside poetry legend Roger McGough who gave a stellar performance.

Festival programmer David Woolley said: "This began a fantastic week of varied events working right across the community, which included workshops and events with local schools, Bridport Library, Bridport Childrens' Centre, Dorset Adult Learning and even Bridport Town FC's Under 12s. There were adult workshops in writing poetry, memoir and flash fiction, and

free lunchtime events featuring a host of local writing talent, as well as evening talks and performances which included poetry, music, film and visual art.

"The week climaxed with breathtaking performances from Bridport Prize judges, Poet Laureate Carol Ann Duffy and A.L Kennedy. Ms Duffy did two shows in a day, one for school pupils, followed later by her adult show with musician John Sampson. Always a consummate performer, she was on sparkling form for Bridport, delivering a spell-binding performance of old and new work, perfectly nuanced to sit alongside the multi-talented Sampson, whose genial giant presence and quirky blasts of traditional tunes from a variety of eccentric wind-instruments, accompanied by hilarious eye-rolling, leavened the mix to perfection.

"Just when we thought that performance couldn't possibly be topped, along comes A.L Kennedy. Those present earlier on the final Saturday for the Bridport Prize-giving would have been expecting good things, as the quizzical Kennedy showed off enough of her warm yet dangerous wit there to hint at what was to come. No-one though, could have imagined the spell-binding show that was to follow. Like much that is beyond the norm, her performance is hard to categorise: too multi-faceted to be called a reading (and indeed no script is used), far too literary and affecting to be 'stand-up', too direct and honest to be called theatre, Kennedy's gig is unique.

"She combines a word-perfect stream-of-consciousness style with a clearly polished script only a gifted prose writer could construct, yet with lightness of touch, razor-sharp observational humour and candid emotion. It is at turns laugh-out-loud funny, intellectually demanding, warm yet bleak, and thoroughly captivating. Above all it is brave. Not afraid to skate along the edges of sentimentalism, Kennedy's act is a tight-rope walk along the emotions, a heart-on-the-sleeve, bare-foot (literally - don't ask - see the show...) kick in the gut. The word is over-used these days, but Alison Kennedy is touched by genius. The near-capacity BAC audience was left almost speechless by this final show of the festival, summoning enough words only to say - "looking forward to next year" Bring it on!"



■ BAC Programme Manager Margie Barbour and Learning Coordinator Kate Wilson reading "Burglar Bill" at the storytelling for the very young event



■ BRIDPORT Arts Centre director Polly Gifford with Bridport Prize coordinator Frances Everitt, Poet Laureate Carol Ann Duffy and comedian A L Kennedy
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■ FOREVER Young event during Dylan Day of Music

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■ **INTERESTED:** Edward Bracey (11) and brother Kristopher (10) help Janet Chantler on the puzzle stall

■ **BUSY:** All the stalls were busy with shoppers looking for Christmas presents



■ **TASTY:** Jamie Oldershaw (aged three) with June Russ and mum Emma

Christmas bargains and more at United Church fair

By Stuart Broom

everyone, from toys and jewellery or bric-a-brac to puzzles.

Organiser Barbara Morris-Wilson was delighted with the turn

out to the event, which raised more than £1,100 towards the church funds for refurbishment.



GLITZTY: Don Jarvis (left) and Philip Morris-Wilson show a bit of dazzle on the tombola stall

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Madhead charity fundraisers

WACKY hair-dos and crazy face paint added to the fun at a sponsored trampoline and gymnastic session at Bridport Leisure Centre.

The charity event, in aid of Children In Need, is predicted to raise in excess of £700, with an extra £90 to be added by the centre's reception team.

Now in its 11th year, the event was a little different this time around with a "madheads" theme.

For an hour-long session, 13 children, aged three to eight-years-old, bounced on the tram-

by Tom Glover

poline, jumped on the bouncy castle and had a go at gymnastic skills.

Then it was the turn of the older age group, from 9-years-old to adult, who had an additional "surprise" area.

Divided into four groups the 20 participants and seven coaches moved from one activity to another with the addition of a dance area and a short routine to master, culminating in a

grand performance by all four groups together.

Penny Steventon said: "A lively and fun time was had by all, including the spectators, especially for the finale which was performed wonderfully.

"Thanks go to Dawn Potter for coming along to take photographs – look out for them on the board next week – Gabrielle and Sarah Horton for the wonderful cake, Ant for the Dance, our Coaches Tina, Gina, Craig, Paul S and Marnie."



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■ FIVE-year-old Harry Tattershall reaching for a present in the 'Secret Santa' lucky dip

Poorly Santa doesn't dampen festive spirit at Christmas fair

by Ben Parker

BOTH children and adults alike got into the festive mood on Saturday as Symondsbury Primary School held their annual Christmas fair.

Instead of being confined to just one room the fair spread into almost every room in the school, meaning there was something for

everyone.

Not only were there traditional stalls like a raffle, tombola, Christmas cards, face painting and jolly jars, there was also new and interesting ones such as a Harry Potter Wand Making stall, where for just 20 pence you could

make your own wand.

For children who were unsure what to buy their parents this Christmas they could enter the "Secret Room" to choose and wrap a gift from the vast selection.

Some of the stallholders were local businesses who paid to have a stall at the fair, selling items perfect for Christmas.

The organisers of the fair tried to keep costs down this year, with all of the money going back to the Friends of Symondsbury School group. With this goal in mind nearly everything available was donated by parents or local businesses.

The holly wreaths available were made last week by parents, who also donated items for the luxury hamper. Pupils at the school also did their bit, such as Hetty Earwicker and Elizabeth Denney, both aged nine, who made and sold home-made sweets and fudge.

"With all the cuts the money's going towards simple things like classroom supplies," said Friends of Symondsbury School Chair, Terri Little.

"It means keeping costs down for trips, which we subsidise."

Father Christmas didn't make it to this event due to illness but the children managed to get a gift from the "Secret Santa" lucky dip, and refreshments from mince pies to bacon rolls were popular throughout the afternoon.

The event made a profit of £1,664.

"We are really pleased with this and stall holders also did well," said Nichola Coliandris, treasurer of the Friends of Symondsbury School.

"We would to thank parents, children and their family for coming along and spending their hard earned money to support the school without whom the Friends of Symondsbury School would not be able to support the school financially."



■ CODY Johnson shows off his jolly jars



■ HETTY Earwicker and Elizabeth Denney made fudge and truffles for the fair



■ KITTY Ford and Megan Furner helped people make their very own Harry Potter wands



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BEER'S traditional pub, the Barrel O' Beer, has something to celebrate this Christmas - winning a prestigious Taste of the West Award.

The Barrel O' Beer, on Fore Street, has now received its official certificate highlighting its recent success of achieving a prestigious silver Taste of the West Hospitality and Retail award.

After only entering for the second time and improving on its bronze status last year, the family-run business is pleased with its successful year and looking to the future.

The next focus will be the busy Christmas period for which the pub is pulling out all the stops with delicious homemade food using good quality local produce at a good price, alongside its welcoming cosy feel and open fire.

Alongside the Christmas menu starting in the next few weeks, the Barrel O' Beer is also running a Real Ale Club, with discounts on all real ales, free snacks, special guest ales and a free prize draw.

To be part of the club, there is a 50 pence charge with all funds being donated to local charities, in particular, Devon Air Ambulance. The club runs from Monday to Friday from 5.30pm until 7pm and weekends from 12noon to 2.30pm.

The Barrel O' Beer has recently been internally refurbished and will now be externally decorated in the next few weeks in time for the late night shopping in the village.

Manager Luke Hunt said: "The silver award for this year's Taste of the West has been a fantastic achievement for the business and for my staff and I and we can only strive to do even better next year, with our main focus being on the local community, and providing a good service for our customers.

"We aim to provide a friendly local service, with excellent food, all sourced locally and freshly

made on the premises. We are looking forward to the festive period with our extensive Christmas menu using quality produce from the local area and are looking to a bright future."

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■ SILVER AWARD WINNER: Barrel O' Beer manager Luke Hunt



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Jurassic celebration at Bridport Museum

BRIDPORT Museum will come out of its winter hibernation next week to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the Jurassic Coast.

Tuesday, December 13th marks a decade since the famous coastline being inscribed as a World Heritage Site by UNESCO (United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation). Known to all as the Jurassic Coast, it remains the only natural World Heritage Site in England.

To help celebrate this birthday Bridport Museum will be open all day on Tuesday, December 13th with their fossil gallery, complete with plesiosaur, being the main attraction.

The museum will also be open this evening (Wednesday) for the Bridport Christmas Festival. For more information visit www.bridportmuseum.co.uk.

Band in church concert

ST. SWITHUN'S BAND is playing its popular Christmas concert at St. Swithun's Church on December 12th in aid of church funds.

Helen McClements will be performing during the evening in addition to seasonal music from the Band, audience participation in singing favourite carols.

During the interval, refreshments will be served. Tickets are £3.50, with under 16-year-olds admitted free.

If you have a news story or photo for the View from Bridport & West Bay please call Paul Crompton on 01297 446144 or email paul@pemedial.co.uk

A big thank you to firefighters

by Tom Glover

GRATEFUL schoolchildren from Powerstock have paid a visit to Bridport Fire Station to thank them for tackling a fire at their primary school.

Much of the Victorian building of the school was destroyed by a fire in November, which was attended by fire crews from across Dorset.

Thanks to the quick response from fire

crews the fire was contained in the old school building and all schoolchildren are now back at the school.

Since re-opening children from the school have been busy making "Thank You" cards for the Bridport fire crew and

staff felt it was important to give pupils the chance to deliver them personally.

Headteacher, Jean-Paul Draper, said: "After re-opening the school one of the very first things we did as a staff was write a long list of all the 'thank you' messages we needed to send to people who had helped the school get back on its feet.

"At the very top of the list were the fire

crews who had saved our school and especially the Bridport crew who were first on the scene the morning of the fire."

During their visit pupils learnt how to dial 999, how to plan an escape route and how to perform the stop, drop and roll.

They were also given the chance to look around the fire engine, go around a safety house and have a go using the water hose.



■ TAKING CHARGE - Max has a go at using the water hose



■ A BIG THANK YOU - Firefighter Nick Courtice with pupils and teachers from the school

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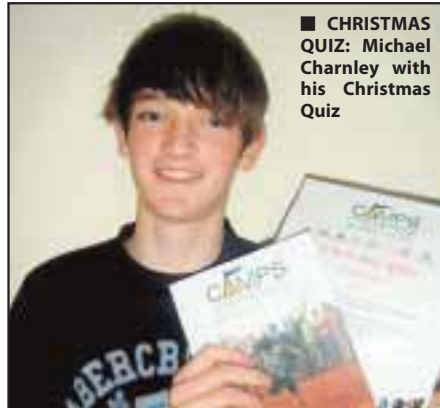
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Two volunteers raising funds for Kenyan trip



■ **CHRISTMAS QUIZ:** Michael Charnley with his Christmas Quiz

■ AN industrious and big-hearted student will be hosting a stall at today's (Wednesday) Bridport Christmas festival.

Molly Fry will be hoping to bolster her bid to help African communities by selling hand-made items for Christmas and gifts suitable for stocking presents.

The Colfox School student is also hoping to head off on the Kenyan expedition in 2013 with Camps International.

Molly needs to raise funds for her trip and is planning on fundraising in different ways over the next two years.

Molly will be selling her items in the WI hall in North Street.

A SIR John Colfox School student is looking for sponsorship and support towards a trip to Kenya in 2013 where he will be taking part in voluntary work.

Fourteen year old Michael Charnley is one of eight students from the school who will be following in the footsteps of ten others who visited the country this summer together with a teacher to work on a project to help disadvantaged communities.

The month long trip is or-

ganised through Camps International whose mission is "to make a profound and lasting impact on disadvantaged communities and wildlife, ensuring all projects are worthwhile, sustainable and meaningful to those undertaking them."

Year 10 student Michael has made a start to raising the £3,860 needed towards the cost of the trip by working for his grandad on his farm at Salwayash at week-

by Stuart Broom

ends as well as selling items on eBay which has earned him over £100 already.

Knowing that this year's students planted over 500 acorn trees whilst in Kenya, Michael has also planted 100 acorns to grow into trees to sell to sponsors which he hopes he will

be able to plant during his visit.

He has also devised a Christmas Quiz with the help of his parents which costs £1 a sheet and can be obtained from Bridport Tourist Information, Babygear in Gundry Lane, Snooks Hatters in West Street, Footprints in East Street or on his Dad's china stall (first stall in South Street on Saturday market). Alternatively you can obtain one by e-mailing to michael@thecharnleys.co.uk.

Michael and his mum Tess were at Salwayash Christmas Fayre last Sunday selling them, and hope they can obtain permission in time to sell them at tonight's Bridport Christmas Festival.

The £20 prize winner will be announced at Michael's fundraising Big Breakfast at Salwayash Village Hall on Sunday January 15th, 9am -1pm.



■ **WELL DONE:** Members of the Bridport Heart Support Group committee who organised the excellent evening of entertainment

Fun and games aid heart support

GREAT fun was had by members of the Bridport Heart Support Group who challenged each other to a number of household family games including Ludo, Snakes and Ladders, Shove Halfpenny and a variety of card games. The evening also included refreshments and raffles.

Almost £1000 was raised as a result of the Grand Summer Draw which will allow the organisation to function in its normal way and the committee would like to thank the following local businesses for their sponsorship of prizes: Nina's Fruit Shop, Wessex Jewellers, Eon and Sandra at Good News, Frampton's Butchers, Stevie's Hairdressers, Smith & Smith, Long's

Fish and Chips, Joe's Cafe, Palmers Brewery, Bridport & West Dorset Music Club, Grove's Nurseries, Laven-der Blue Florists, Washingpool Farm, R J Balson Butchers.

They would also like to thank members of the committee for their hard work and the public for their generosity and support in making the draw such a success.

The Heart Support Group is open to all members of the public of all ages with meetings held once a month. Anyone interested in joining should contact either Margaret Lewis on 01308 456706 or David Balnikelon on 01308 897375.



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We have been evolving and are building up a women's clothes agency to add to our children's clothes stock. If you have any good quality clothes, shoes or accessories for women do bring them in for us to sell. If they are suitable we will give you 50% of the sale price when sold.

We would like to invite you to come and join us at the Beach Hut for our Special Christmas Shopping Day on Saturday 10th December from 11 am

– 4.00pm. Tasty refreshments will be available and if you bring along our advert or leaflet we will offer 10% off women's and children's clothes. We are open from Thursday to Sunday 11.00am – 4.00pm from now until Christmas Eve, with plenty of interesting gifts on offer – from books and toys to decorations and beautiful works of art, do come and have a look. See you Soon, Jacqui, Jill and Sue.



❄ Ellipse Cafe Bistro Bar

ELLIPSE, WEST Bay's latest dining experience, promises to wow all the senses.

Whether you are looking for a quick coffee and delicious home-made cake or a full-on dining experience Ellipse is the perfect place to go.

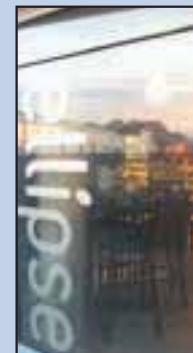
Sat on the edge of Lyme Bay the café/bistro and bar allows customers to relax, take in the unobstructed views across the sea toward the setting sun while enjoying some of its home-cooked food.

Already renown for its coffee and hot chocolate the addition of head chef Stefan Brown – formally of the Bull Hotel – has pushed the culinary experience at Ellipse to prominence.

Delicious, freshly cooked meals, including breakfasts and mouth-watering home baked pastries and cakes are just some of the delights awaiting gourmets at Ellipse.

The airy, modern establishment is perfect for unwinding and having a coffee and snack after a walk along the cliffs or resting after a long motorcycle ride.

Alternatively when the sun sets over the horizon it is the perfect romantic location for a special meal in its cosy, intimate dining space.



Owners of Ellipse, Dave parish, Graham Dobney and Stephen Tucker with staff at the launch night of its new dining experience.

❄ Helmet City



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P&O CRUISES	Ventura	15-Apr-12	11	Southampton	Canary Islands	£949	£140
P&O CRUISES	Orlana	26-Apr-12	22	Southampton	Caribbean - NO FLYING	£1,959	£720
P&O CRUISES	Azura	19-May-12	14	Southampton	Baltic	£1,399	£440
P&O CRUISES	Azura	16-Jun-12	17	Southampton	Central Mediterranean	£1,799	£600
P&O CRUISES	Arcadia	26-Jun-12	7	Southampton	Fjords	£829	£120
P&O CRUISES	Arcadia	17-Jul-12	14	Southampton	Baltic	£1,629	£440
P&O CRUISES	Orlana	04-Aug-12	14	Southampton	Baltic	£1,589	£280
P&O CRUISES	Aurora	02-Sep-12	24	Southampton	Canada & New England - NO FLYING	£2,549	£440
P&O CRUISES	Aurora	01-Nov-12	22	Southampton	Caribbean - NO FLYING	£1,879	£320
CUNARD	Queen Victoria	05-Jun-12	17	Southampton	Mediterranean	£1,899	\$1,200
CUNARD	Queen Elizabeth	22-Jun-12	14	Southampton	The Fjords	£1,549	\$1,100
CUNARD	Queen Victoria	29-Jun-12	14	Southampton	Baltic	£1,649	\$1,060
CUNARD	Queen Elizabeth	06-Jul-12	7	Southampton	The Fjords	£799	\$600
CUNARD	Queen Victoria	13-Jul-12	8	Southampton	The Fjords	£899	\$700
CUNARD	Queen Mary 2	04-Sep-12	10	Southampton	Iberia	£1,299	\$700
CUNARD	Queen Victoria	03-Oct-12	16	Southampton	Mediterranean	£1,499	\$500
CUNARD	Queen Victoria	19-Oct-12	23	Southampton	Caribbean - NO FLYING	£2,249	\$1,300
CUNARD	Queen Victoria	22-Nov-12	21	Southampton	Mediterranean	£1,959	\$1,200
CUNARD	Queen Mary 2	15-Dec-12	26	Southampton	Caribbean - NO FLYING	£2,949	\$900
PRINCESS	Grand Princess	21-Apr-12	11	Southampton	Canary Islands	£899	\$85
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Christmas in... WEYMOUTH

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❄ Bincombe Blinds

BINCOMBE BLINDS has supplied and installed interior blinds and patio awnings in the Dorset area since 1972. Personal service from the proprietor Graham Embley, plus a large range of superb quality products has been the key to its success.

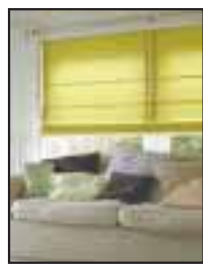
Bincombe Blinds is a Luxaflex Select Dealer, and offers the full range of blinds from that leading company's comprehensive list of products. You can view the range if you visit www.luxaflex.co.uk.

You can arrange a no-obligation appointment for Graham to visit you in your own home, by calling him on 01305 832728 or by the email address on the company website (see adjacent advertisement).

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❄️ Arty Party Cakes

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as making celebration cakes for all types of events, Ian Gill has now firmly established as the business as one of the area's leading sugarcraft suppliers for both retail and trade customers.

For further information and photos of the cakes they make why not visit their website www.artypartycakes.net. Alternatively to see the full range of sugarcraft equipment, boxes, boards, ready-to-roll icing, cake decorations etc, just drop into 115 Dorchester Road, Lodmoor Hill, Weymouth between 10.30am & 5pm Mon-Fri or 9am & 5pm on Saturdays."

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- Up to 10% off all Raleigh kids bikes

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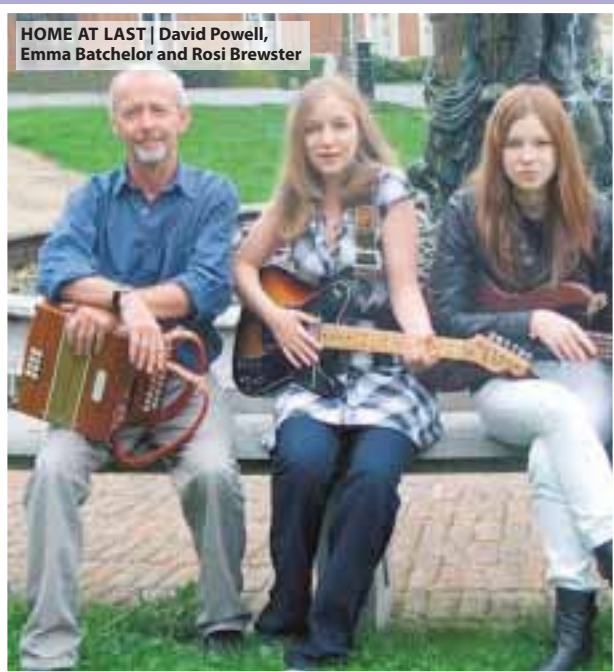
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Rosi and Emma will be home from university over Christmas and they and David bring these and other songs celebrating the importance of home and family to a special concert at Bridport's WI Hall on the afternoon of Friday, December 30th from 3 – 4.30pm. David, Emma and Rosi are pleased to welcome Bridport musician, Lauren Glover to the lineup. Lauren brings keyboard and voice to the arrangements. All profits from the concert will go towards supporting the work of Home-Start West Dorset - a local charity which gives friendship, advice and practical support to families who live in the West Dorset District Council area.

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B Sharp celebrate another successful year with annual party fundraiser

B SHARP are holding their annual party fundraiser at the Marine Theatre this Saturday, December 10th.

The evening will be packed full of musical entertainment with Papa Le Gál, DJ's and special guests, and young B Sharp musicians take to the stage with the professionals including nearly all the B Sharp music leaders: John K Miles, Ralph Cree, Glyn Bush and Peter Wild.

There will be mulled wine, mince pies and the Theatre bar. Tickets are available from: Fuego, Coombe Street, Lyme Regis and the Tourist Information Centre 01297 442138 & on the door.

The party is for everybody of all ages, it is very much a community event and people are welcome whether they have had anything to do with the organisation or not.

It promises to be very special with the popular Papa Le Gál, returning from their UK tour to play at the event, their band members are B Sharp alumni and are returning to play on the night as a thank you to the project.

This year alone B Sharp have produced 'Hear Here', songs about Lyme written with 150 young people and John K Miles and Billy

Bragg, culminating in an incredible performance at Woodroffe. A Busking Festival was held, with a piano installation on the seafront overseen by Peter Wild, a current piece for performance at the 10th Anniversary of the Jurassic Coast World Heritage, and starting in the New Year something entirely different with Ralph Cree and Glyn Bush, that is more tech based to create a soundscape for installation with Visual Art, with Dizzi and Singing with Sammy Hurden.

B Sharp have recently been commissioned for the Cultural Olympiad Coastal Voices (CV) (www.coastalvoices.co.uk), a large-scale participatory choral project linking arts and earth sciences along the Jurassic Coast. The 20-minute B Sharp CV piece will be sung by 250 young voices from seven groups across West Dorset/East Devon and will be performed in Weymouth, alongside the other commissions as part of the opening celebrations for the sailing events in London 2012.

B Sharp organisers are hoping to raise sufficient funds for a local performance in Lyme Regis for the Maritime Mix launch of the Earth Festival in May 2012.

B Sharp organisation is currently undergoing organisational development developing a three-year business plan looking at sustainability and new partnerships, as reality is they can't keep relying on grants.

Project manager Fran Williams says, "The evening is a chance for everybody to get together to celebrate the years achievements. It's a time to take stock and say thanks to partners, supporters,

young musicians and their families and to everybody on the Committee who has worked behind the scenes to keep this incredible project going – We are not core funded, do not have a home, I don't think people realise that 80% of the work (including my time) that goes into running this project is unpaid so any offers of help financial or otherwise are gratefully received"

IF you would like to make a donation to help B Sharp please makes cheques payable to Lyme Youth Arts and send to Toldervie, West Hill Rd, Lyme Regis, DT73LW. See www.bsharp.uk.com

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ALUMNI | Grace, Jaques and Oli of Papa Le Gál



CAROLLING AND CRUMPETS WITH KIRKPATRICK

JOHN Kirkpatrick, from BBC's Victorian Farm, has been one of the most prominent figures on the English Folk Scene for many years. This performance peels back the layers of the modern sentimental view of Christmas to reveal the life and death struggle that is symbolised in so many traditional songs.

You'll hear of some bizarre rituals and murky goings-on in songs of wassailing,

wren-hunting and stirring the fire, as well as traditional English folk carols such as 'The Holly and The Ivy', 'The Boar's Head Carol' and a useful song 'That Great Christmas Pud' and 'Caroling and Crumpets' (the title song) is the Bethlehem story seen from the humorous point of view of the animals in the stables.

This event is ideal for anyone looking for a traditional, musical and fun start to the

Christmas season! With mulled wine and crumpets included in the price of a ticket, this event is guaranteed to keep the spirits cheery and cold at bay.

John Kirkpatrick will be at Bridport Arts Centre on Sunday, December 11th at 7.30pm. Tickets cost £10, £9 for members and £8 concessions. For more details and to book call 01308 424 204 or visit www.bridport-arts.com

Poetry for Pleasure

by Frank McGarry

DURING August we featured six poems about dreams by six different authors. Here are three more writers versifying on the same subject. The first is by Edward Thomas.

A DREAM

Over known fields with an old friend in a dream
I walked, but came sudden to a strange stream.
Its dark waters were bursting out most bright
From a great mountain's heart into the light.
They ran a short course under the sun, then back
Into a pit they plunged, once more as black
As at their birth; and I stood thinking there
How white, had the day shone on them, they were,
Heaving and coiling. So by the roar and hiss
And by the mighty motion of the abyss
I was bemused, that I forgot my friend
And neither saw nor sought him till the end,
When I awoke from waters unto men
Saying: 'I shall be here some day again.'

Robert William Service became famous with his verse from the gold rush days in the Yukon. He was a dreamer too, as this poem shows.

DREAMS

I had a dream, a dream of dread:
I thought that horror held the house;
A burglar bent above my bed,
He moved as quiet as a mouse.
With hairy hand and naked knife

He poised to plunge a bloody stroke,
Until despairful of my life
I shrieked with terror - and awoke.

I had a dream of weary woes:
In weather that was fit to freeze,
I thought that I had lost my clothes,
And only wore a short chemise.
The wind was wild; so catch a train
I ran, but no advance did make;
My legs were pistoning in vain -
How I was happy to awake!

I had a dream: Upon the stair
I met a maid who kissed my lips;
A nightie was her only wear,
We almost came to loving grips.
And then she opened wide a door,
And pointed to a bonny bed ...
Oh blast! I wakened up before
I could discover - were we wed?

Alas! Those dreams of broken bliss,
Of awakenings too sadly soon!
With memories of sticky kiss,
And limbs so languidly a-swoon!
Alas those nightmares devil driven!
Those pantless prowls in Pall Mall!
Oh why should some dreams be like heaven
And others so resemble hell?

Our third poem is by the great William Blake.

THE LAND OF DREAMS

Awake, awake my little Boy!
Thou wast thy Mother's only joy:
Why dost thou weep in thy gentle sleep?
Awake! thy Father does thee keep.

"O, what land is the Land of Dreams?
What are its mountains, and what are its streams?
O Father, I saw my Mother there,
Among the lilies by waters fair.

Among the lambs clothed in white
She walked with her Thomas in sweet delight.
I wept for joy, like a dove I mourn—
O when shall I return again?"

Dear child, I also by pleasant streams
Have wandered all night in the Land of Dreams;
But though calm and warm the waters wide,
I could not get to the other side.

"Father, O Father, what do we here,
In this land of unbelief and fear?
The Land of Dreams is better far
Above the light of the Morning Star."

● If you have a short poem of your own that you would like to share with our readers please send it to: Poetry for Pleasure, Lyme Media & Events Ltd, St Michael's Business Centre, Lyme Regis, Dorset, DT7 3QF. Or e-mail it to us at: pemedial@pemedial.co.uk

String quartet to play four Artsreach venues

BOWJANGLES, the liveliest classical string quartet you will probably ever lay eyes on, descend on Dorset in early December, touring to four Artsreach venues.

Bowjangles is an all-singing, all-dancing, string quartet! The exceptionally talented group combines fiery musicianship with energetic dance moves, vaudeville comedy and four-part harmony singing in a dazzling stage show, which guarantees to leave audiences spell-bound. Four equally strong personalities, all quirky in their own unique ways, present an incredible and eccentric performance unlike any you have ever seen before, harking back to the good old days of Music Hall variety, when entertainment talent was truly multidimensional.

A favourite at festivals and theatres the world over, Bowjangles have that rare appeal to all ages and walks of life. You just won't believe what this four piece are capable of! Catch them if you can, at:

Melbury Osmond Village Hall on Thursday, December 8th, 7.30pm (telephone 01935 83410); Wootton Fitzpaine Village Hall on Friday, December 9th, 7.30pm (01297 560948); Frampton Village Hall on Saturday, December 10th, 7.30pm (07968 586906); and Marnhull Village Hall on Sunday, December 11th, 7.30pm (01258 820381).

Arnie Cottrell and Graham Bushell to play at Beach and Barnicott

ARNIE Cottrell has cult followings the length and breadth of the country and in odd corners of the world. He has 3 cds out (the first, "Sorry About That" was played coast to coast in the USA) and is working on the next two. He has been playing music for most of his life. He started out on the folk scene of the 1970s where he formed an enduring but interrupted friendship with east

end guitarist, singer and songwriter Richard Digance. He went on to play in various rhythm and blues, soul, reggae, psychedelic psychoboutfits, Cajun, old timey, ceilidh outfits before realising that his true love was acoustic music as long as the songs are good. Arnie Cottrell and Graham Bushell play at Beach & Barnicott on Friday, December 9th at 9.30pm. Admission is free.

Arnie Cottrell



Talk on Pharaoh: King of Egypt exhibition

DR AIDAN Dodson of the University of Bristol will give the second in a series of lectures accompanying the current blockbuster exhibition at Dorset County Museum, Pharaoh: King of Egypt (which runs until January 22nd 2012). The talk takes place on Thursday, December 15th.

Dr Dodson is a Fellow of the Society of Antiquaries of London; he has served as a Trustee of the Egypt Exploration Society, and is a Contributing Editor of the Kmt: a Modern Journal of Egyptology, as well as Chairman of the Egypt Society of Bristol. He is the author of twelve books and over two hundred papers, articles and reviews.

Dr Dodson regularly acts as a guest Egyptologist on tours of Egypt, and has lectured extensively at universities, museums and Egyptological societies in the United Kingdom, the United States, Canada, Egypt, Denmark, Italy and Australia. He also once shared a stage with Christopher Lee at a festival of 'Mummy' films in Paris!

His illustrated talk is entitled 'Finding Pharaoh: the discovery of the Royal Mummies of Egypt' and takes place at the Museum on Thursday 15 December at 7pm. Tickets for the event cost £5 and are available now from the Museum Shop.

Further talks in the series will follow in January next year – for full details check out the museum website on www.dorsetcountymuseum.org

Louise Parker and Philip Clouts for Jazz Café

GROWING up in a house filled with music, from the folk, calypso and opera enjoyed by her Jamaican-born mother to the trad, swing and be-bop from her jazz-obsessed father, vocalist Louise Parker was born to create the sort of soulful sound that has earned her a great reputation in the jazz world.

A big hit on the festival circuit and a regular on Radio 2's Best of Jazz, Louise Parker is a powerful performer and

a skilful interpreter of swing, blues and gospel classics.

Accompanied by Philip Clouts at the piano, vocalist Louise blends an effortless rhythmical style with a sweet warm tone and daring scatting to create a performance which truly stirs the soul.

Louise Parker and Philip Clouts will play at Bridport Arts Centre's December Jazz Café this Friday, December 9th from 8pm. Tickets cost £8 on the door.

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THIS WEEK'S NEW RELEASES

PUSS IN BOOTS^U

YEARS before meeting Shrek and Donkey, the adorable but tricky Puss in Boots must clear his name from all charges making him a wanted fugitive. While trying to steal magic beans from the infamous criminals Jack and Jill, the hero crosses paths with his female match, Kitty Softpaws, who leads Puss to his old friend, but now enemy, Humpty Dumpty. Memories of friendship and betrayal enlarges Puss' doubt, but he eventually agrees to help the egg get the magic beans. Together, the three plan to steal the beans, get to the Giant's castle, nab the golden goose, and clear Puss' name. Voice work by Antonio Banderas (Puss In Boots), Salma Hayek (Kitty Softpaws) and Zach Galifianakis (Humpty Dumpty).



NEW YEAR'S EVE^{12A}

THE lives of several couples and singles in New York intertwine over the course of New Year's Eve. All star cast includes Michelle Pfeiffer, Zac Efron, Robert De Niro, Halle Berry, Ashton Kutcher, Jon Bon Jovi, Katherine Heigl and Sarah Jessica Parker.



A VERY HAROLD & KUMAR 3D CHRISTMAS¹⁸

SIX years have elapsed since Guantanamo Bay, leaving Harold (John Cho) and Kumar (Kal Penn) estranged from one another with very different families, friends and lives. But when Kumar arrives on Harold's doorstep during the holiday season with a mysterious package in hand, he inadvertently burns down Harold's father-in-law's beloved Christmas tree. To fix the problem, Harold and Kumar embark on a mission through New York City to find the perfect Christmas tree, once again stumbling into trouble at every single turn.



ANOTHER EARTH^{12A}

ON the night of the discovery of a duplicate planet in the solar system, an ambitious young student and an accomplished composer cross paths in a tragic accident. Stars William Mapother and Brit Marling.

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Thursday, Dec 15th

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Puss In Boots in 3D^U

Fri, Mon: 18.20, 20.40,

Sat: 12.40, 15.00,

Sun, Tue, Wed: 13.40, 18.20, 20.40

Alvin and the Chipmunks:

Chipwrecked^U

Sat & Sun: 11.15, 13.30

Arthur Christmas in 2D^U

Fri-Wed: 15.45, 18.00, Thu: 15.45

Happy Feet Two^U

Fri, Mon-Thu: 15.30

Sat & Sun: 10.45, 13.10, 15.30

Hugo in 2D^{PG}

Fri-Mon: 20.15, Tue-Thu: 12.55, 20.15

New Year's Eve^{12A}

Daily: 17.45, 20.20

Puss In Boots in 2D^U

Fri, Mon-Wed: 16.00, Sat: 10.30am

Sun: 11.30, 16.00, Thu: 16.00, 18.00

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Happy Feet 2 in 3D^U

Fri, Mon-Thu: 14.30, 17.00, 19.30

Sat & Sun: 12.00, 14.30, 17.00,

19.30

Hugo in 3D^U

Daily: 14.40, 20.20

The Thing¹⁵

Fri, Mon-Thu: 18.10, 20.30

Sat & Sun: 20.30

The Twilight Saga: Breaking

Dawn - part 1^{12A}

Fri, Mon-Thu: 16.00, 18.40, 21.10

Sat, Sun: 13.30, 16.00, 18.40, 21.10

Arthur Christmas in 3D^U

Fri, Mon-Thu: 18.20

Sat & Sun: 11.20, 18.20

Happy Feet 2 in 2D^U

Fri, Mon-Thu: 16.00, 18.30

Sat: 13.30, 16.00, 18.30

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Hugo in 2D^U

Daily: 17.30

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21.15

Sat & Sun: 10.30, 12.40, 14.50,

17.00, 19.10, 21.15

New Year's Eve^{12A}

Fri, Mon-Thu: 15.30, 18.10, 20.45

Sat & Sun: 12.30, 15.30, 18.10, 20.45

50/50¹⁵ Daily: 20.50

The Adventures of Tin Tin:

Secret of the Unicorn in 2D^{PG}

Fri, Mon-Thu: 15.50

Spy Kids: All The Time In The

World in 2D^{PG} Sat: 10.10am

Cars 2 in 2D^U Sat: 10.00am

A Magical Christmas with Santa at Kingston Maurward

CHILDREN have the opportunity of a magical Christmas at Santa's grotto in the Kingston Maurward Animal Park and Gardens this Saturday and

Sunday (December 10th & 11th).

Besides enjoying some fabulous festive fun with the Alpacas, ponies, rabbits, donkeys, and much

much more, visitors can see Santa and his elves ...and shh... don't miss Santa's reindeer, Rudolph and Snowflake, between 1.30pm and 3.30pm.

For grownups there's mulled wine and mince pies,

Gates open 12am - 4.30pm. Entry to the Gardens and Animal Park is £4.50 for adults and under 16's are free. Admission to see Santa is £3 and is suitable for children aged 10 and under. Call 01305 215 003 for further details.



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Legendary folk duo to reunite at Electric Palace

THIS Thursday sees a startlingly intense reunion from Martin Carthy and Dave Swarbrick, a legendary, ground-breaking duo. All the old skills are demonstrated with a new collection of traditional songs and instrumentals. Their experienced approach to their art lacks none of the fervour of their early days, and brings a maturity born of many years living with the music that is an integral part of their beings. Their work has been described as 'intense and demanding with sublime fiddle playing and the passionate delivery of evocative old songs by their ablest interpreter.'

This remarkable pairing played an important part in the tremendous shake up given to British folk music in the middle to late 60's. Dave Swarbrick first came to prominence on the folk scene as a young instrumental virtuoso in the Ian Campbell Folk Group. Having worked alongside other leading musicians such as Ewan MacColl and Peggy Seeger, Beryl and Roger Marriott and A. L. Lloyd, he teamed up with Martin Carthy in 1966.

While they featured hot instrumental tracks in their live sets and recordings, Dave's forte in the duo was sensitive accompaniment to Martin's vocals and guitar. On Rags, Reels & Airs the focus was solely on Dave and it finally gave him a chance to really stretch out and



demonstrate his leading instrumental prowess. The result was a new era of English instrumental folk music and a new approach to folk music altogether. When they parted in 1969 Dave joined Fairport Convention and his contribution to folk and folk/rock music is legendary and well documented.

For more than 40 years Martin Carthy has been one of folk music's greatest innovators, one of its best loved, most enthusiastic and, at times, most quietly controversial of figures. His skill, stage presence and natural charm have won him many admirers, not only from within the folk scene, but also far beyond it.

fRoots said that 'Swarbrick is an absolute revelation here, as instinctively sympathetic and wickedly inspirational as he ever was. It's like they were a couple of twenty somethings again. To hear Swarb bowing with such soul and tenderness and dynamism too is an unconditional joy' ... to share in that unconditional joy and have a brilliant evening out book your tickets now!

This exceptional performance at the Electric Palace, in the year both Carthy and Swarbrick celebrate their 70th birthdays, is this Thursday, December 8th. Doors open at 7.00pm and tickets are £12.50 each. Tickets are available in advance from Bridport Tourist Information Centre on 01308 424901 or on the door.

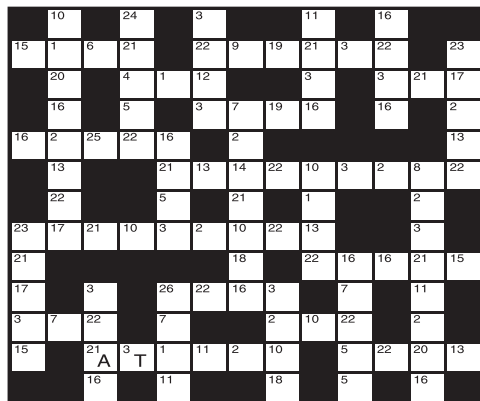


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Codeword

Each number in the grid represents a different letter of the alphabet and every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter(s) to the right of the main grid to start you off.



LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

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Double Crossword

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid.

Cryptic Clues:

Across

- Praise returned twofold (4)
- He makes an offer to support Rose somehow (8)
- Brazilian port to us appears boisterous (7)
- Strange shape of the moon, perhaps (5)
- Having no centre of gravity? (5-7)
- An order for money (6)
- An article to be followed (6)
- It may result in not only the weather breaking! (7,5)
- Put away in great enjoyment (5)
- Record suppressed by force (3,4)
- Cutting teeth (8)
- Such wolves are no longer (4)

Down

- Abandoned ship (8)
- Surrounded by some of the team on gaining three points (5)
- It's reddish-brown, but not orange (6)
- Their job is to keep down correspondence (5-7)
- Main plant source of iodine (7)
- Is sorry for a trick, by the sound of it (4)
- They indicate how elevated your position is (7,5)
- Being there before the change of scene (8)
- It is used extensively (7)
- He aims to bring down the opposition in an individual way (6)
- By itself something which attracts interest, we hear (5)
- Fairy ripe for a change (4)

Quick Clues:

Across

- Disappoint (4)
- Theoretical (8)
- Ill-omened (7)
- More secure (5)
- By chance (12)
- Heavy (6)
- Money-lender (6)
- Impolite (12)
- Detach (7)
- Petition (8)
- Abandoned (4)

Down

- Quadruple (8)
- Loafer (5)
- Prairie-wolf (6)
- Long treatise (12)
- Scarf (7)
- Remedy (4)
- Submission (12)
- Outlook (8)
- Pure (5)
- Whimsical (6)
- Harangue (5)
- Dull pain (4)

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Circlegram

Replace the question mark with a letter so that the letters within each circle can be arranged to form words on a common theme. What are the three words, and the letter represented by the question mark?



LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

The letter represented by the question mark is T. Stewart, Atherton, Boycott all former England cricketers.

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Sudoku

Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits from 1 to 9.

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS >

1	4	6	9	7	8	2	5	3
5	3	2	8	4	1	7	9	6
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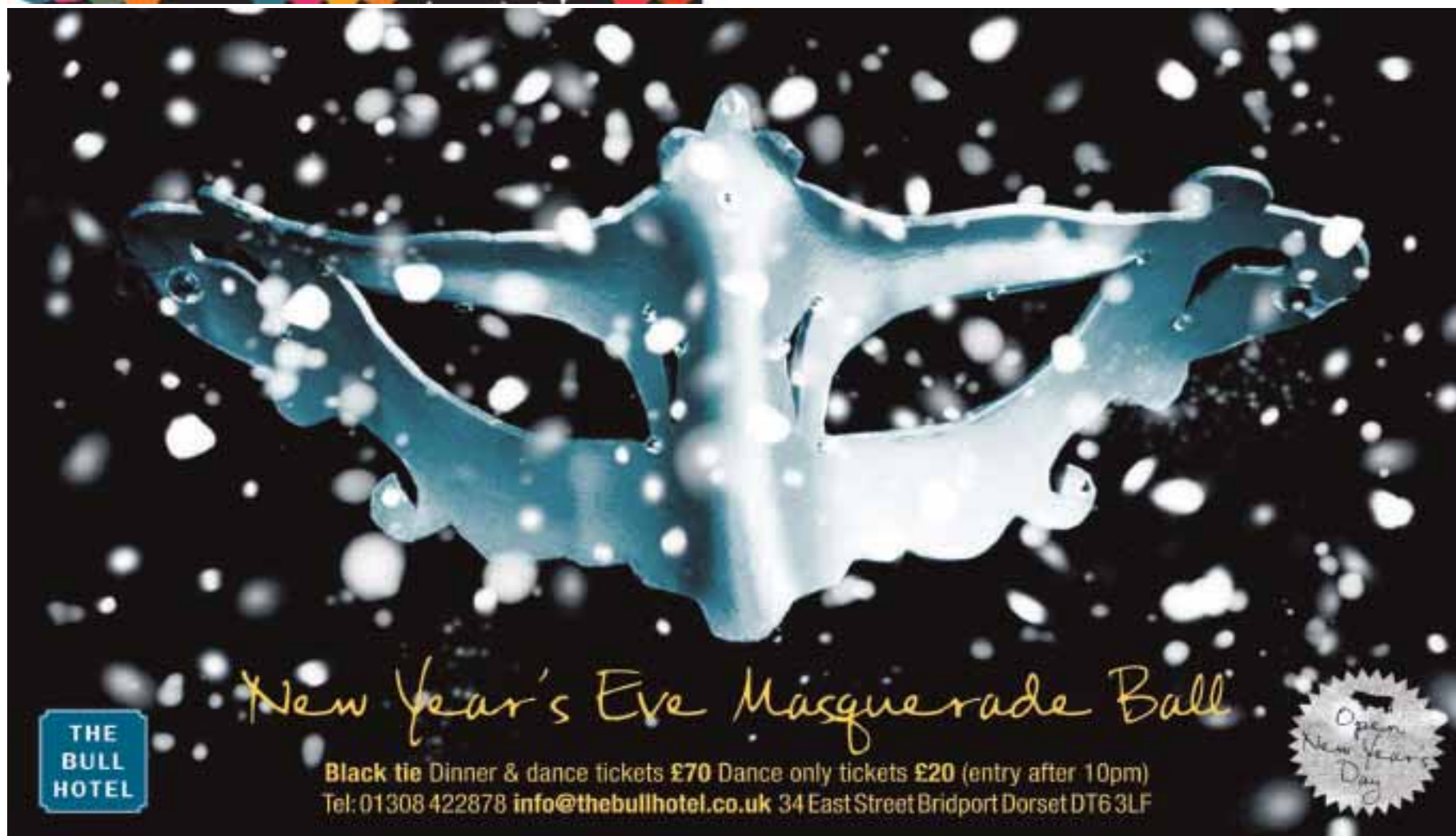
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New Year's Eve Fun Facts

- ♦ IT IS often thought that the first visitors you see after ringing in the New Year would bring you good or bad luck, depending on who you keep as friends and enemies. That's why most people celebrating on New Year's Eve often do so with friends and family.
- ♦ IF the first person to visit you was a tall and dark-haired man, this was especially lucky.
- ♦ ITEMS or food that is ring-shaped is also good luck. This symbolizes "coming full circle", which is what one year does. Some cultures eat ring-like food through the evening and through the night to ensure that good luck will be bestowed upon everyone who eats. The Dutch often eat doughnuts.
- ♦ OTHER foods that are eaten on New Year's Eve are cabbage because the leaves represent prosperity. Ham (or a hog) also symbolizes prosperity. In Asian cultures, rice is a hearty and lucky staple that is eaten around midnight to signify the coming year of fortune.
- ♦ 'AULD Lang Syne' is sung at midnight to toast in the New Year. The song was composed by Robert Burns sometimes in the 1700s. The term means "old long ago" or "the good old days."



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Should auld acquaintance be forgot,
And auld lang syne.*

CHORUS:
*For auld lang syne, my dear,
For auld lang syne,
We'll tak a cup o kindness yet,
For auld lang syne!*

*And surely ye'll be your pint-stowp,
And surely I'll be mine,
And we'll tak a cup o kindness yet,
For auld lang syne!*

*We twa hae run about the braes,
And pou'd the gowans fine,
But we've wander'd monie a weary fit,
Sin auld lang syne.*

*We twa hae paidl'd in the burn,
Frae morning sun till dine,
But seas between us braid hae roar'd
Sin auld lang syne.*

*And there's a hand my trusty fiere,
And gie's a hand o thine,
And we'll tak a right guid-willie waught,
For auld lang syne.*

.....
Say 'Happy New Year' to everyone!

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Finished with Parmesan Crisp and White Truffle Oil

Twice Baked Ricotta and Spinach Soufflé

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Intermediate Course

Refreshing Champagne Sorbet

To Cleanse your Palate before the Main Event

Main Course

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Prime Fillet of Beef Presented with Fois Gras and Italian White Summer Truffle upon a Buttered Croute,
Drizzled with a Madera Demi Glaze

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Nestled upon a Lake of Red Wine, Garden Mint and Rosemary Jus

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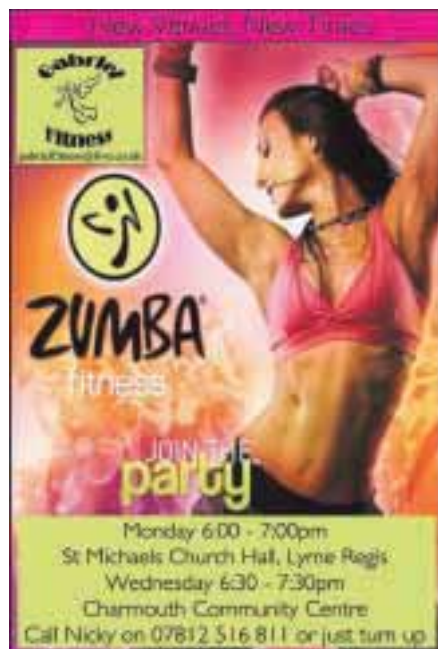
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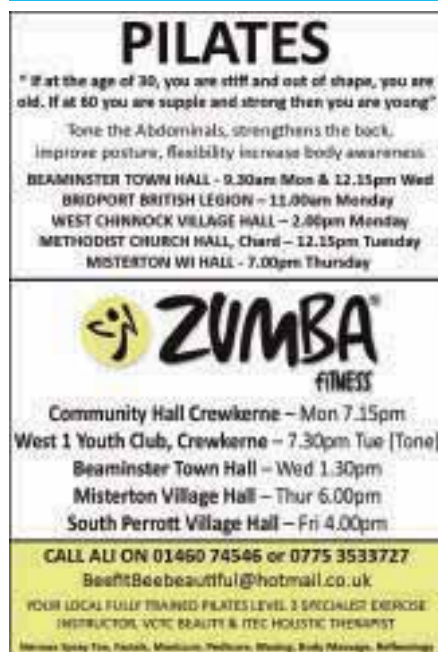
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B Sharp annual
fundraising party
this Saturday

B SHARP are hosting their Annual Party and Fundraiser this Saturday (December 10th) at the Marine Theatre in Lyme Regis.

The event will feature a performance from Papa Le Gál, plus special B Sharp guests and DJ's.

The fundraiser takes place from 7pm until midnight, and there will be mulled wine, mince pies and a bar available. All ages are welcome.

Tickets cost £8 for adults, £5 under 18s, or £20 for a family ticket (2 adults + 2 under 18), and are available from Fuego (Coombe Street, Lyme Regis), Lyme Regis Tourist Information Centre - 01297 442138, or on the door.

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KRIS Emmett, talented new Conductor of Bridport Choral Society, brings youth and vitality to the choir along with musical expertise. Members have been enjoying rehearsals for the annual Christmas Concert, once again to be held in the sparkling setting of Bridport United Church's Christmas Tree Festival, on Saturday, December 10th.

The programme includes traditional carols, the "Hallelujah Chorus" from Handel's Messiah, Faure's Cantique de Jean Racine, along with old favourites. Anna-Maria Geare makes a welcome return as soprano soloist.

Tickets (£6 adults, £3.50 children) from Bridport Music, the Tourist Office or at the door.

Concert



Bridport Choral Society
CHRISTMAS CONCERT
7.30pm
Saturday 10th December
Bridport United Church
Tickets £6, from Bridport Music
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ROUSDON: Rousdon Social Club's Annual Turkey Bingo at Peek Hall. Doors open 7.15pm, eyes down 8pm. Bar and refreshments available at half time. Telephone 01297 443235 for more details.

WEST BAY, BRIDPORT: Bring and Buy Sale at George Street WI Hall from 10am - 12.30pm. Mince pies and mulled wine available. Telephone 01308 423012 for more details
BRIDPORT: Bridport Christmas Festival from 5.45pm on-wards. Craft, market and charity stalls in WI Hall, Bridport Arts Centre, Electric Palace, and around town. Santa's sleigh and grotto with free gifts for children under 10. Entertainment in Bucky Doo Square. Fairground rides in South Street and Amsafe Square, late night shopping and plenty of good food and drink.

THURSDAY DECEMBER 8TH

BRIDPORT: 'Three Days Late' Ceilidh Club at the British Legion Hall, Victoria Grove, 7.30pm for 7.45pm start. All welcome, partners not essential. Telephone 01308 423442 for more details.

BRIDPORT: Big BAC Christmas Quiz. At Bridport Arts Centre at 7.30pm. Teams of up to 6, only £5 per person.
LYME REGIS: Christmas Bingo at Woodmead Halls, eyes down 8pm.

FRIDAY DECEMBER 9TH

WEYMOUTH: The U3A December Meeting, A Christmas Social Open Meeting. At Salvation Army Citadel from 10am. For more details call 01305 767584.

LYME REGIS: Christmas Fayre at St Michael's School, Kingsway from 6pm.

LYME REGIS: Mullet's General Knowledge Quiz at Lyme Regis Football Club. 7pm for 7.30pm. Teams of up to 4, £2.50 per head.

SATURDAY DECEMBER 10TH

BRADPOLE: Christmas Bingo at Bradpole Social Club. Wonderful seasonal prizes to be won, doors open 7.15pm, eyes down 8pm.

BRIDPORT: Bridport Choral Society Christmas Concert at Bridport United Church from 7.30pm. Admission by programme. £6 adults, £3.50 children from Bridport Music. Tourist Office or at the door. Telephone 01308 898 484 for more details.

SUNDAY DECEMBER 11TH

DORCHESTER: Family Santa Fun Run from Dorchester Town Football Club, Weymouth Avenue at 11am. Walk, Jog or Run a 2mile route around Dorchester to raise funds for Weldmar Hospicecare Trust. Children under 5yrs FREE to include Santa Hat, Age 5-15yrs £6 to include 3pc Santa Suit, 16yrs & over £10 to include 5pc Santa Suit. Fun warm up session & seasonal refreshments. We ho-ho-hope that you'll join us - fun for all ages! Tel: 01305 215320 or visit www.weld-hospice.org.uk/santarun
BRIDPORT: Film: 'Starsuckers' shown at St John Ambulance Hall, Rax Lane at 7.30pm, plus discussion. This expose of the media's celebrity obsession uncovers the real reasons behind our culture's addiction to fame and blows the lid on the corporations and individuals who profit from it. £3 entry (less if you can't afford it).
WEYMOUTH: Friends of the Nothe Gardens are planning an old-fashioned festive evening for families to enjoy. Taking place in the Peace Garden (on the Nothe) at 4 pm. There will be carol singing round the big lit Christmas tree, and Festive Songs from members of the singing group "Bagatelle". Children are invited to help trim our tree, and encouraged to bring small, bird friendly ornaments to hang. There will be mince pies - and (for the grown-ups!) mulled wine. Donations towards Julia's House (hospice for children) will be appreciated..

MONDAY DECEMBER 12TH
LYME REGIS: Cancer Research UK Christmas Bingo at Woodmead Halls, eyes down 8pm.
BRIDPORT: St Swithun's Band Annual Christmas Concert at St Swithun's Church from 7.30pm. Admission including refreshments £3.50 (adults), free for under 16s. Telephone

01308 423182 for more details.

BRIDPORT: Christmas flower arranging demonstration by West Dorset Flower Club at 2.30 pm in the WI Hall. Entry £4 on the door to include tea and mince pie.
BRIDPORT: Bridport Folk Dancing Club at the WI Hall, North Street at 7.30pm-9.30pm No partner or previous experience required. Admission £2. Telephone 01308 863 552 or 01308 458 165 for more details.

PULHAM: Wessex Morris Men practice every Monday from 8pm to 10pm at Pulham Village Hall DT2 7DZ, opposite Halsey Arms. We welcome men who are interested in learning the dances and want an interesting, active hobby which will help to keep you fit. We dance throughout Dorset, Somerset and abroad during the spring and summer. Call Mike Phelan on 01305 786754 for details.

MONDAY DECEMBER 12TH - FRIDAY DECEMBER 23RD
LYME REGIS: Exhibition: Three by Three, at the Malthouse Gallery, The Town Mill, Mill Lane. Free entry, open daily from 11am - 4pm. For more details visit www.townmillartsguild.com

TUESDAY DECEMBER 13TH

MOSTERTON: The award-winning photographer Colin Varn-dell will be showing his slides on "DORSET GARDENS". Visitors always welcome £2 (incl. refreshments and raffle). At Mosterton Village Hall (on A3066) at 7.30pm.

BRIDPORT: New Elizabethan Singers Carol Concert at St John's Church, West Bay. Starting at 7.30pm. All welcome, admission free, but donations gratefully received. For more details telephone 01308 425838.

LYME REGIS: Life at the Boat Building Academy: Yvonne Green, Principal of the Boat Building Academy will talk about the Academy which has been headlined as a 'world leading' boat building training centre and is the only place in the world where students can build a boat for themselves as part of an internationally recognised qualification. Lyme Regis Society meeting in partnership with the Lyme Regis Museum at Woodmead Hall, Lyme Regis 2:30 pm, refreshments. All welcome, £1 admission.

THURSDAY DECEMBER 15TH

LYME REGIS: Christmas Bingo at Woodmead Halls, eyes down 8pm.

FRIDAY DECEMBER 16TH

LYME REGIS: Lyme Bay Photographic Club Christmas Quiz and Party Social to be held at Hallett Court from 7.30pm. For more details call 01297 444733.

CHARMOUTH: Christmas Bingo at St Andrew's Community Hall. Doors open 7pm, eyes down 7.30pm.

SATURDAY DECEMBER 17TH

BRADPOLE: Christmas Draw Night at Bradpole Social Club, with live music from Vinyl Monkeys. Doors open 7.30pm.

BRIDPORT: Coffee Morning at Bridport United Church, East Street from 10am - 12noon. Coffee, mince pie, biscuit £1. Gradn draw stalls: home made cakes, books, plants, bric-a-brac etc. In aid of Bridport Museum, for more details call 01308 458703 / 459039.

BRIDPORT: Music and Mince Pies at Church House, South Street from 2pm. Caitlin & Friends present music, song & dance with seasonal refreshments. Tickets £3 from Good Books, Gundry Lane 01308 420483, or on the door. Proceeds to Uparo Project in Tanzania & Bridport Young Performers Scholarship.

BEAMINSTER: Christmas Concert at Beaminster Museum from 7.30pm. Under the title 'A Dorset Christmas', entertainment in the form of traditional Christmas music and village carols, songs and dances will be provided by the Beaminster Gallery Quire attired in Victorian dress, with Jeffrey Fraser FRCO playing the organ. Mulled wine and minced pies will add to the festivity of the occasion.

Tickets are £6 and are now available from the Yarn Barton Centre and the Church Office (Mon - Fri, 10.30am - 12.30pm). For further information, please call 01308 863448

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Accommodation includes: Entrance Lobby - Hall - Sitting Room with Dining Area - Large Garden Room Kitchen/Breakfast Room - Inner Hall - Ground Floor Bedroom Four/Study Utility Room - Ground Floor Shower Room - Cloakroom - Three First Floor Bedrooms - Family Bathroom - UPVC Double-Glazed Windows - Oil-Fired Central Heating - Private Driveway - Integral Single Garage - Front Garden Enclosed Rear Garden

The asking price for 19 Oxhayes is £340 000. To receive particulars or to arrange a viewing please contact Elder & Froy at our Beaminster office on 01308 862606. To view the full sale particulars and floor plans please go to www.elderfroy.co.uk.



LYME REGIS - £550,000

BOULEY is a spacious detached bungalow built in the early 1970's. Situated in an elevated position there are fine views over Lyme Regis and along the Jurassic Coast. The three double bedrooms all enjoy these sea views, with the master having its own balcony. The lounge has patio doors opening to a paved terrace, again enjoying views to the sea. On the ground floor linked by an internal staircase the property has a separate study/bedroom floor and a large integral garage and storage area. This ground floor area offers potential for further accommodation or annex (subject to the necessary consents being obtained).

Lyme Regis is famed for its many historic connections and character buildings, and of course, for its well known Cobb Harbour. As a resort, it is considered quite unspoilt, but has most of the shops and amenities that one could require, in

addition to which there are numerous leisure activities including both sailing and power boat clubs, a cliff top golf course and a bowling club. The whole coastline with Lyme Regis and Charmouth at its centre has recently been designated a World Heritage Site commonly known as the Jurassic Coast. It lies approximately 5 miles from the market town of Axminster, with its main line railway connections to Waterloo (Approx. 2 3/4 hours). Taunton and Exeter are within a radius of about 30 miles with access to the M5 motorway and the county town of Dorchester is a similar distance. Locally there are primary schools in Lyme Regis and Uplyme along with the well respected Woodroffe and Colyton Grammar Schools.

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CHARMOUTH - £645,000

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The property has a ground-floor garden flat ideally suited for a relative or office space. The excellent views from the majority of the rooms are a particular feature of the property. The entire property has been modernised and improved by the current

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LYME REGIS - £249,950



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LYME REGIS - £550,000



Entrance Porch & Hallway - Lounge - Dining Area - Kitchen/Breakfast Room - Master Bedroom With Ensuite & Dressing Room - Bathroom - Two Further Bedrooms - Study/Bedroom Four - Integral Double Garage - Parking - Sea Views - Gardens - Requires Some Updating.

LYME REGIS - £480,000



Hallway - Lounge - Kitchen/Diner - Master Bedroom With Ensuite - Three Further Bedrooms - Bathroom - Rear Lobby - Garage - Workshop - Parking - Gardens - Sea Views.

UPLYME - £750,000



Reception hallway - Cloakroom/shower room - Lounge with fireplace - Family kitchen/dining room - Conservatory - Ground floor bedroom four - Study - Master bedroom with en-suite - Guest bedroom with en-suite - Further double bedroom - Family bathroom - 2 garages - Boiler/cloakroom - Large garden - Swimming pool

UPLYME - £547,500



Storm porch. Entrance hall. Downstairs WC. Lounge. Kitchen. Utility. Study. Three bedrooms. Master en suite. Family Bathroom. Gardens front and rear. Log cabin. Workshop. Garage. Parking.

RAYMONDS HILL - £382,500



A modern detached four bedroom bungalow completed 5 years ago and is in very good decorative order. It is located in the popular area of Raymonds Hill with easy access to Lyme Regis and Axminster.

UPLYME - £315,000



Hallway - Dining Room - Kitchen - Living Room - Sun Room - Wc - Master Bedroom With Ensuite Shower Room - Two Further Bedrooms - Bathroom - Parking - Garden.

LYME REGIS - £575,000



Entrance Hallway - Cloak Room - Lounge - Dining Room - Kitchen - Breakfast Room - Utility Room - Master Bedroom With Ensuite - Two Further Bedrooms - Bathroom - Double Garage - Annex With Living Room/Bedroom - Shower Room Single Bedroom - Indoor Swimming Pool - Double Garage - Driveway - Gardens.

LYME REGIS - £228,000



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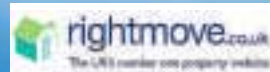


Entrance Lobby - Entrance Hall - Lounge/Dining Room - Kitchen - Two Bedrooms - Bathroom - Conservatory - Parking - Communal Gardens.

LYME REGIS - £285,000



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CHARMOUTH - £140,000



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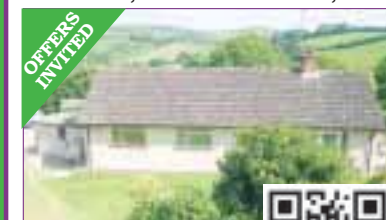


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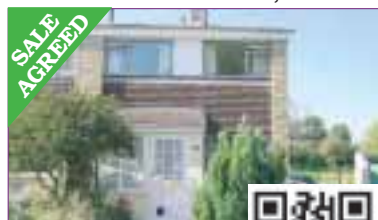
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BRIDPORT - £167,000



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- Good Views to Rear



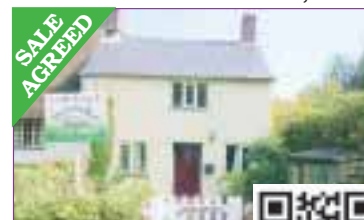
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The event selected for Fifth Gear coverage was the Zebulon Pike Memorial 12-Car Rally organised by the Loughborough Car Club in rural Leicestershire.

As one of the world's most promising young rally stars, Mikkelsen was charged with driving a standard 180bhp Skoda Fabia vRS – the showroom version of the 22-year-old Norwegian's Fabia S2000 competition car – while Butler-Henderson took on the all-important navigational duties.

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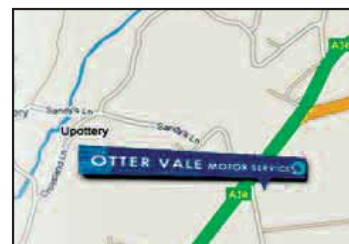
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Double hat-trick for
Caddy as Seasideers hit 10

DORSET JUNIOR CUP QF

BRADFORD ABBAS 1 BEAMINSTER RES 3
BEAMINSTER Reserves eased through to the Dorset Junior Cup semi-finals with a 3-1 win at Yeovil League outfit Bradford Abbas.

The Rainbows took the lead when experienced striker Ross Pickett showed excellent technique in chesting down a loose ball before shooting home from the edge of the area.

A goalkeeping error allowed the hosts to equalise before the interval but Man-of-the-Match Matt Hunter, returning after a long injury lay-off, restored the lead and Pickett added his second 15 minutes from time.

PIDDLIHINTON 1 LYME REGIS RES 2 AET

LYME Regis Reserves' hopes of a first county cup final appearance in 10 years remain on course after a battling extra-time victory at Dorset League Division Three promotion-chasers Piddleshinton.

The hosts came closest to scoring in normal time with a shot that hit the crossbar and bounced down onto the goaline.

The game sparked into life in the extra half-hour. Second-half substitute Ally Rattenbury put the Seasideers ahead in the 98th minute with a deft hooked shot from Sam Bevis' outswinging corner kick.

The hosts, after once again striking the Seasideers' crossbar, were level five minutes later when Rob Thom, who had a fine game between the sticks for Lyme, could only get his fingertips to a goalbound effort.

The tie appeared to be heading for a replay when the Bevis/Rattenbury combination struck again with Rattenbury this time heading home the youngster's flag-kick at the near post.

In addition to Thom, Seasideers' manager Gerard Hitchcock was impressed with the efforts of his back three of Adam Clark, Rob Larcombe and skipper Luke Clifton.

◆ Semi-Finalists; Lyme Regis Reserves, Beaminster Reserves, Donhead United, Galaxy

PREMIER

BEAMINSTER 2 FARWAY UNITED 1

BEAMINSTER almost paid the penalty for failing to convert a host of chances as visitors Farway United went close to snatching a point with a late onslaught.

The Rainbows took a 1-0 lead into the interval after Ben Ward crossed for Dan Tolman to head home.

Midfielder Dave Penn doubled the lead on the hour with a composed right foot finish, but Farway pulled one back to set up an anxious last 15 minutes.

Beaminster manager selected 16-year-old midfielder Josh Baker as his top performer but was also impressed by centre-back Will Boyer.

CREWKERNE 1 WINSHAM UTD 2

TWO goals from Joe Simmons keeps Winsham United in second place in the table after an impressive win at Henhayes.

The towering Simmons gave the visitors a slender interval lead but Ben Laver netted an equaliser for the Tigers midway through the second-half only for Simmons to strike again to end Crewkerne's 15-month unbeaten home league record.

ILMINSTER RES 2 COMBE RES 1

ILMINSTER Reserves extended their unbeaten home record with a gritty 2-1 win over Combe Reserves who have now won just once in their last seven outings and look set for another difficult season.

Mike Whitefield and Craig Rice netted for the Ilminster - Sam Johnson scored a 90th minute consolation for the Saints.

LYME REGIS 10 PERRY STREET 1

LYME Regis' seeming inexorable march to a sixth Premier Division title continued with a 10-1 thrashing of bottom-of-the-table Perry Street.

The match was a personal triumph for Adam Caddy who became only the fourth Lyme player to score six or more goals in a single game for the

first team (Ellis Hoole, Graham Vere and Pat Rice are the others).

Joe Bond, given a start in his preferred striking role, gave Lyme the lead in the fifth minute when he netted at the second attempt after his first effort had been well saved by Mike Barry in the Street goal.

Three minutes later Bond scored again after good work from winger Aaron Cleal.

Barry, who was to have a busy afternoon, then did well to twice deny Caddy with fine saves.

But the onslaught was only denied temporarily as Caddy side-footed home number three and Steve Batey headed home the fourth after 24 minutes.

Perry Street pulled a goal back on the half-hour when Kyran Bailey, son of Alan who had a couple of seasons' at the Davey Fort, drilled a superb first time shot past the helpless Will Meech in the Lyme goal.

But the goal only served to cause the Seasideers to go up a gear as Bond completed his hat-trick and Caddy took his tally to four with three more in a nine-minute purple patch and Lyme trooped off for the break an astonishing 8-1 to the good.

Seasideers' manager Robin Townsend, with next week's Dorset Intermediate quarter-final in mind, took the opportunity to rest Batey and unsung defensive stalwart Matt Laing at the interval introducing Julien Simier and Will Swales.

Predictably the second-half couldn't match the first and it wasn't until the 68th minute when Caddy netted his fifth with a 20-yard free-kick that brought up his century of goals for the club. His double hat-trick, and the scoring, was completed five minutes later with the pick of the goals - a powerful near post header that tore past Barry and high into the net.

The day was soured 10 minutes from time when Julien Simier broke his collarbone under an innocuous challenge from Andrew Board.

S.Petherton 5 W & M Chinnock 1

A HAT-TRICK from Paul Dexter helped South Petherton continue their return to form with 5-1 win over West & Middle Chinnock at Lightgate Lane.

Rich Hebditch and Adam Bourne also scored for Pethy who led 3-0 at the break with Damian Hart replying from the penalty spot after a push on Phil Hooper.

DIVISION ONE

FORTON RANGERS 3 NETHERBURY 2

NOT for the first time this season, Netherbury found themselves on the wrong end of close scoreline.

The Ambers had all the early possession but went behind after 10 minutes, when a defensive mix up left Tom Melhuish one-on-one with Dan Melish to make it 1-0.

Netherbury's response was excellent and deservedly got back on level terms, when Reece Bulman robbed the right back and whipped in a cross that Ben Brook converted with a composed sidefoot finish. The visitors continued to have success down the flanks and were causing the Forton defence plenty of problems. They took the lead through a Matt Loxton own goal after some good approach play from Ali Kamara.

This seemed to wake the hosts, who picked their game up and Craig Salter equalised just before half-time.

The game remained close in the second half but it was Forton who crafted the winner with a fine headed goal from Andy Stevenson with only eight minutes to go.

Ryan Gay had the best chance to equalise for the Ambers, when he was put clean through but the Forton 'keeper saved well.

"The lads played well today, but this isn't the first, or probably the last, time when we will play the better football and have not got the result our efforts deserved," said assistant boss Paul Cuff.

Ben Brook and Steve Symonds were picked out as the top performers for the Ambers.

DIVISION TWO

CHARMOUTH 1 CREWKERNE RES 3

A JAMIE Smith strike was a mere consolation as Charmouth slipped to a 3-1 home defeat at the hands of Crewkerne Reserves.

Aaron Sweet put Crewkerne ahead but Smith equalised with his first goal for the club before the turnaround.

But second-half goals from Aaron Hodges and George Miles carried the Tigers to victory and a return to the top of the table

PYMORE 10 MISTERTON RES 1

TIM Hussey led the way with a hat-trick as Pymore hit double figures for the first time in almost three years.

Darren Poole (2), Cameron Murlless, Chris Good, Gary Corey, Brandon Scadding and an OG completed the rout for Pymore.

UPLYME 3 THORNCOMBE 0

AFTER going close last week, Uplyme manager Rob Coombe was overjoyed to see his men record their first clean sheet in 13 months.

The Swallows took an early lead courtesy of a neat finish from top-scorer Gavin Fowler who netted his 12th of the campaign so far.

Teenager Adam Neale added number two in the 10th minute with the Thorns defence hopefully appealing for offside.

The scoring was rounded-off in the 82nd minute by Sam Jones who bagged his first goal in first team colours.

Coombe was impressed by goalkeeper Lloyd Cleal and centre-back Stuart King who came out on top in the battle with prolific striker Stuart Packer.

DIVISION THREE

WAYTOWN HOUNDS 3 CHARD UNITED 0



TON-UP: Adam Caddy scored his 100th goal for Lyme Regis as they thrashed Perry Street 10-1.



DOUBLE: Darren Poole scored twice as Pymore also hit 10 past struggling Misterton Reserves.



OFF THE MARK: Sam Jones scored his first goal for Uplyme first team in his 3-0 win over Thorncombe.

AFTER a cagey opening against top of the table Chard United the Waytowners started to get a grip on the game.

After 30 minutes, left winger Ed Stephenson found Tom Menaldino who carefully picked his spot to set the Hounds on the road to an impressive victory.

Waytown found another gear after the break and when Menaldino's cross was tucked away by Tom Rutland on the hour Chard were beaten.

Stephenson turned provider once again weaving his way down the wing before picking out Rutland who fired a right foot drive into the net to complete the scoring.

Gary Mansfield, back from travelling, was a rock at centre-back, but the Man-of-the-Match award went to midfielder Dan Dufford who was ferocious all afternoon.

Rob Walter, who used to play for the Hounds when they were a Sunday team, made his debut, a boost for the squad.

DIVISION FOUR

COMBE B 0 LYME BANTAMS 4

IN-FORM Lyme Regis Bantams chalked up their fifth straight win as Combe B were beaten 4-0 on the Slades Cross slope.

The prolific Pete Peacock put the Seasideers ahead with a close range tap-in before Jamie Quarington repeated the feat to record his first goal for the club. Peacock then volleyed home from the edge of the box for his 25th goal of the season a minute before the interval.

But the best was yet to come as Patryk Skibinski smashed home a bullet-like drive to complete the scoring in fitting style.

Bantams' manager Chris Simpson, who gave a debut to ex-Hungarian youth international Viktor Lukacs, picked out defenders Jimmy Harvey and Rob Greenwood as his star men.

HAWK RES A UPLYME RES A

UPLYME Reserves' game at Hawkchurch was abandoned after 25 minutes after Hawkchurch player Dan Brasier dislocated his knee-cap.

RESULTS, December 3rd

DEVON INTERMEDIATE CUP (Area) QF

Axmouth United 4 Millway Rise 7

DORSET JUNIOR CUP QF

Bradford Abbas 1 Beaminster Reserves 3
Piddleshinton 1 Lyme Regis Reserves 2 aet

PREMIER

Beaminster 2 Farway United 1
Crewkerne Town 1 Winsham United 2
Ilminster Town Res 2 Combe Reserves 1
Lyme Regis 10 Perry Street 1

South Petherton 5 W & M Chinnock 1

DIVISION ONE

Forton Rangers 3 Netherbury 2
Ilminster Town Colts 5 Norton Athletic 1
Misterton 3 Barrington 2

Perry Street Res P Shepton Beauchamp P
DIVISION TWO

Charmouth 1 Crewkerne Town Res 3
Dowlish & Donyatt 5 S.Petherton Res 3
Hinton 0 Crewkerne Rangers 1

Pymore 10 Misterton Reserves 1

Uplyme 3 Thorncombe 0

DIVISION THREE

Drimpton 4 Combe A 5
Luso-Chard 2 Hawkchurch United 1
Millway Rise Res 9 Forton Rangers Res 2

Shepton Beauchamp Res 1 Winsham Res 1
Waytown Hounds 3 Chard United 0

DIVISION FOUR

Barrington Res 2 Farway United Res 2
Combe B 0 Lyme Regis Bantams 4
Hawkchurch Utd Res A Uplyme Res A
Thorncombe Res P Ilminster Town A P

FIXTURES, December 10th

All 2pm unless stated

DORSET INTERMEDIATE CUP QF

PREMIER

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Lyme Regis.....	9	9	0	0	45	11	27
Winsham United.....	10	7	1	2	28	20	22
Beaminster.....	9	6	2	1	23	8	20
Ilminster Town Res.....	9	6	2	1	20	12	20
Crewkerne Town.....	7	3	2	2	23	11	11
South Petherton.....	8	3	3	2	12	16	11
Combe Reserves.....	9	2	3	4	13	22	9
Merriott Rovers.....	9	2	2	5	8	26	8
Farway United.....	10	2	1	7	20	27	7
W & M Chinnock.....	9	1	2	6	12	30	4
Perry Street.....	11	0	1	10	16	46	1

DIV ONE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Forton Rangers.....	10	7	1	2	32	18	22
Millway Rise.....	7	0	0	32	8	21	0
Shepton Bea.....	9	6	3	0	24	10	21
Misterton.....	9	5	2	2	20	17	17
Netherbury.....	10	5	1	4	30	20	16
Lyme Regs Res.....	8	4	1	3	13	17	13
Beaminster Res.....	9	3	1	5	19	21	10
Perry Street Res.....	9	2	5	14	25	8	9
Barrington.....	10	2	1	7	19	24	7
Norton Athletic.....	10	2	0	8	15	37	6
Ilminster Colts.....	9	1	0	8	12	33	3

DIV TWO

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
S.Petherton Res.....	9	6	2	1	32	17	20
Crewkerne Res.....	9	7	1	1	30	12	22
Uplyme.....	11	5	4	2	43	22	19
Dowlish & Don.....	11	5	4	2	31	15	19
Pymore.....	11	6	0	5	41	25	18
Chard Rangers.....	9	5	3	1	23	17	18
Thorncombe.....	9	4	2	3	25	24	14
Crewk Rangers.....	9	2	3	5	16	26	7
Charmouth.....	9	2	1	6	17	33	7
Misterton Res.....	9	1	2	6	13	41	5
Hinton.....	10	0	0	10	9	51	-1*

DIV THREE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Chard United.....	10	7	2	1	32	16	23
Waytown Hounds.....	8	6	2	0	28	10	20
W&M Chinn Res.....	8	6	0	2	41	26	18
Millway Rise Res.....	10	4	3	3	34	27	15
Luso-Chard.....	10	4	1	5	25	23	13
Winsham Utd Res.....	8	3	2	3	23	11	13
Shepton Bea Res.....	9	2	3	5	16	19	8
Hawkchurch Utd.....	9	2	5	2	22	26	8
Combe A.....	7	1	3	3	17	24	6
Drimpton.....	9	1	3	5	26	43	5
Forton Reserves.....	8	1	2	5	14	35	5

DIV FOUR

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Chard United Res.....	12	7	3	2	29	19	24
Ilminster Town A.....	9	7	0	2	38	13	21
Lyme Bantams.....	10	6	0	4	39	21	18
Combe B.....	9	5	2	2	28	10	17
Barrington Res.....	9	5	2	2	34	17	17
Farway Utd Res.....	8	4	3	1	22	15	15
Thorncombe Res.....	6	4	1	1	15	5	13
Crewk Rang Res.....	9	4	0	5	32	12	7
Uplyme Reserves.....	10	2	1	7	16	61	7
Hawkchurch Res.....	9	0	1	8	18	44	1
Chard Rang Res.....	11	0	1	10	15	48	1

Ferndown Town Greenfields
v Lyme Regis (1.30pm)

ARTHER GAGE CUP R1

Barrington v Norton Ath
Beam Res v Netherbury
Perry St Res v Shepton Bea

TOMMY TABBERER R1

Chard Rangers v Dowlish
Hinton v Crewkerne Res
S.Peth Res v Misterton Res

PREMIER

Combe Res v Chinnocks
Crewkerne v Merriott Rov
Farway Utd v S Petherton

Winsham Utd v Beaminster
DIVISION ONE

Millway Rise v Lyme Res
Misterton v Forton Rangers

DIVISION TWO

Crewkerne Rang v Pymore
Thorncombe v Charmouth

DIVISION THREE

Combe A v Luso-Chard
Drimpton v Hawkchurch
Forton Res v Shepton Res

Waytown Hnds v Winsham
Chinnk Res v Chard United

DIVISION FOUR

Chard Utd Res v Thorn Res
Crewk Rang Res v Combe B
Hawk Res v Chard Rang Res
Ilminster A v Barrington Res
Uplyme Res v Farway Res

PSL LEADING SCORERS

Premier: R.Hebditch (S.Petherton) 20, Ad Caddy (Lyme Regis) 15, J.Bond (Lyme Regis) 14.

Division One: S.Dibling (Millway Rise) 24, T.Emmett (Millway Rise) 20, S.Murley (Shepton Bea) 18.

Division Two: S.Packer (Thorncombe) 17, L.Mears (Dowlish & Donyatt), G.Fowler (Uplyme) 12.

Division Three: T.Menaldino (Waytown Hounds) 21, I.Costa (Luso), 13, L.Hoole (Millway Rise Res), A.Cooper (W & M Chinnock Res) 12.

Division Four: P.Peacock (Lyme Bantams) 25, J.Lovatt (Crewk Rang Res), G.Jenkins (Ilminster A) 9, J.Park, P.Bennett (both Barrington Res) 7.

December medal results

Lyme Regis Ladies Golf

by Ellie Langford

DECEMBER MEDAL

THERE were some ladies who chose not to play because the weather forecast gave rain.

This never materialised during play, but the course was wet, and playing long, which is reflected in the scores.

Results:

Division One: 1st Jane Southcombe 77. 2nd Sally Stratton 78 ocb. 3rd Diane Smith 78.

Division Two: 1st Jane Broom 78. 2nd Lila Lambert 79. 3rd Beth Rowlands-Rees 80.

Division Three: 1st Alice Hines 77. 2nd Hayley Rowland 84. 3rd Sheila Claringbold 87.

Gannaway leads the way

LYME REGIS GOLF with Steve Percival

Seniors - DECEMBER STABLEFORD

With a brisk chilly wind blowing accompanied by the occasional shower of rain, an impressive field of club seniors assembled to contest the December Stableford competition.

Whilst weather and course conditions were not necessarily conducive to good scores some impressive points totals were recorded.

In particular John Gannaway (25) carded a very impressive 48 points to win division two whilst Keith Gibson (8) recorded his usual steady round to card 39 points to win division one.

Yetton trophy victory for Bridport

BRIDPORT INDOOR BOWLS NEWS
with Brian Baker.

GILL Hunt, Ann Parkins, Millie Meech and Edna Cumberland were on great form as they won 28-7 at home against Moonfleet in their National Inter-Club Knockout Competition for the Yetton Trophy.

The quartet were well backed-up by Laura Taylor, Thelma Pratt, Melodie Watts and Annie Legg who won, 22-17.

At Moonfleet, Pamela Daters, Mary Eastman, Margaret Clapp and Barbara Inversen had a fine 18-15 win and although Liz Walker, Pat Cornick, Margate Pestelle and Sue Walsh went down 13-29 Bridport moved into the next round 81-68 overall.

Bridport Ladies (C) team were nine shots ahead with one end left in their County League match away to Moonfleet (C).

They were kicking themselves all the way home though, as Beryl Stork, Rosie Wilton, Gill Hunt, Janet Bird and Joan Higman, Chris Minas, Mary Marsh and Janet Tattershall dropped 6-3 counts respectively to share the points

35-35 overall.

Roy Lidington, Bill Payne and Brian Rumble came back from 4-12 down against a strong Dorchester trio to win 156-15 for two points in the Purbeck Trophy League.

Bernard Waterman, Janet Tattershall, Dave Roberts and Theresa Castle and Mike Long, Sue and Keith Gentry and Mary Marsh picked up four points in the County Mixed League with 22-17, 22-19 home wins against Wellworthy.

Bridport found Gillingham on fine form as they lost their annual Four Rink Home friendly 49-109 overall.

Spokesman Brian Baker said: "These matches are great to play in, with the banter always matching the bowls and it gives us the chance to give new members a full game with a view to progress to the various county leagues".

Scores: Chris Minas, Brian Parker, John Davies, Brian Rumble 17-22, Rainbow, Bernard Waterman, Gill Hunt, Phil Hedges 9-26, Dennis Minas, John Groves, Beryl Stork, Liz Walker 8-27, Sue Caen, Mike Fletcher, Sue Gentry, Brian Baker 15-34.

Beaminster keep the pressure on

YEovil & SHERBORNE 3rds 0

BEAMINSTER 2
BEAMINSTER Ladies hockey team maintained their advantage at the top of Channel Division 1 with a hard earned victory over Yeovil & Sherborne 3rds.

Although the league leaders were never under any real threat, it took them until midway through the first-half to get their passing together and missing leading scorer Izzy Davies they found it hard to find the net.

Towards half-time they finally found their way to goal and after several consecutive short corner opportunities they scored when Danni Donovan converted one with a hard slap from the top of the D.

Boosted by the goal Beaminster picked

up their game after the break and better passing made them more effective all over the pitch.

They sealed the point's midway through the half when Nephelli Theophanidis finished off a fine solo run with a powerful strike.

With both Swanage & Wareham and Gillingham winning, Beaminster will be hoping for victory next week to go into the New Year at the head of the table.

Emma Davies came out of retirement to produce a performance that earned her Player-of-the-Match.

◆ **Beaminster: Stewart, E.Davies, White, Craddock, Andrews, Crawford, Donovan, Theophanidis, Aplin, May, Timbrell.**

Mixed results for Dorch boxers

THERE was mixed results for two Dorchester boxers at the recent Bournemouth Dinner Show, with Kieron Clewett giving a flawless display in a return match with local boxer Jack Blanc, whilst Tom Hillyar narrowly lost out to Sturminster Newton's Dan Pitman.

Both Clewett and Blanc received a standing ovations for their performances which were easily the most exciting light-weight bout of the night.

Clewett produced several eye catching shots to the head and body in the early exchanges before a thrilling game of cat and mouse chase with Clewett using the ring to his advantage by commanding centre stage with defensive ingenuity against a super fit hitter.

Clewett utilised his punching power to the full with precision and timing, but although Blanc's relentless attacks of massive punches hampered him, he kept his cool and was still able to dictate the round.

The Dorchester boxer made a positive start in the third against the tiring Blanc but he refused to surrender and both boxers finished the bout firing on all cylinders, but Clewett had done enough for a deserved victory.

Hillyar took full advantage of his longer

reach moved in behind a barrage of combinations against an opponent who looked uncomfortable on the retreat, and his accurate jabbing pushed Hillyar onto the back foot.

However, he failed to exploit Pitman in the second and received a blistering punch on the nose, which made him very cautious and he covered up, using excellent defensive tactics to stay out of trouble until the bell.

The contest came alive in the third with Hillyar driving home some ramrod blows, with Pitman countering with rights to the body and busily jabbing away at his opponents head, and although Hillyar finished the round unleashing left swings Pitman had done enough work to take the decision.

Corner man Jonjo Look said: "Kieron's accurate, cleaner delivery of punches, his perfect footwork poise and balance, makes him so special.

"I thought that Tom was going to turn the bout around and gain the upper hand in the third round, but sadly he was beaten to the punch.

Jamie Gosney, Andrius Pacarevas and Liam Gould were on the recent Yeovil bill but the show was cancelled.



■ TAKE THAT: Kieron Clewett (black vest) gets through with a left

Youngsters show promise

WHILST **The Sawyer** once again showed his class in the Btredf Grand Sefton Handicap Chase over the National course at Aintree on Saturday, it was two of local trainer Bob Buckler's young horses that took the plaudits **WRITES STUART BROOM.**

The Sawyer finished a creditable fifth after another fine show of jumping but old age, he will be 12 years old come the turn of the year, eventually told as the younger horses picked up and went for home, although he stayed on and was closing quickly on fourth horse Santa's Run at the end.

"It was another super run and he jumped well. But he is getting older and Aintree is a fast track, and he couldn't go with the younger horses at the end. But he stayed on well and was closing quickly on the fourth horse come the finish."

At the other end of the age scale, two of the younger horses showed great promise as they look to emulate The Sawyer's success.

Champagne Rosie produced an excellent performance in finishing fourth to odds-on favourite Swincombe Flame in the British Stallion Studs Supporting British Racing E.B.F. 'National Hunt' Novices' Hurdle qualifier at Exeter.

She unseated Andrew Glassonbury at the first fence in her last race having been too anxious before the start, but despite a slight falter at the first she went on to jumped superbly. She did veer to the right two hurdles from home that cost her a few lengths, but she ran on well to finish close.

"What a super race. She was too buzzy before her last race, but we hopefully have sorted that out and apart from a slight hesitancy at the start she ran a super race. She jumped well and ean on nicely and I was very pleased with her."

Buckler was also pleased with **The Happy Warrior's** race in finishing fifth in the British Stallion Studs Supporting British Racing E.B.F. 'Junior' Standard Open NH Flat Race on the same card.

"He's still very green but ran very well considering he is a chaser in a bumper race. He didn't run the last bend very well but he is a big horse and struggled a bit to negotiate it, but he ran on well and we have high hopes for him and

will take it steady with his education."

Two other horses failed to act on the very heavy ground at Chepstow last Saturday. Malin Head and Glenwood Presenting are both sired by Presenting, who tended to need good ground.

"There was an inspection early in the morning because there had been so much rain, so the ground was not to either horses liking," said Buckler.

Malin Head disappointed in the digibet.com 'National Hunt' Novices' Hurdle where he jumped well except an error at the third and was moving through the field before the conditions got the better of him and he tailed off towards the back of the field.

It was much the same for Glenwood Presenting who pulled hard at the rear before succumbing to the mud.

"Both absolutely hated the ground which was far too heavy for them. Glenwood Present is also green and physically immature."

Ballyegan ran a good race in the RNLI Saving Lives At Sea Novices' Handicap Chase at Exeter on Friday. Jumping and travelling well, he came to make his challenge but unfortunately choked a bit and had to back off and finished third.

"Unfortunately he choked a bit as he made his challenge, which is the second time he has done it, and will wear a tongue tie next time out to try and correct the problem. Otherwise he ran a good race and I expect him to go closer next time."

Among this week's declared runners are **Double Dizzy** who will try to go two better than he did do over the Cheltenham cross country course recently when he takes on his victors Uncle Junior and Garde Champetre again on Friday.

There will also be a first run of her life for three year old **La Madonnina** at Taunton in the bumper on Thursday.

LYME REGIS CRIBBAGE

RESULTS (November 28th, week 12); Axe Valiants 3 New Inn Kilm A 2, Nags Head 2 Ship Inn LR 3, Stepps 2 Beer Club 3, Rocky II 2 Lamb Swans 3, New Inn Kilm B 3 Royal Oak 2, Gerrard Arms 4 Axminster Con Club 1.

Beer League: Axe Valiants 1 New Inn Kilm A 2, Nags Head 1 Ship Inn LR 2, Stepps 1 Beer Club 2, Rocky II 3 Lamb Swans 0, New Inn Kilm B 1 Royal Oak 2, Gerrard Arms 2 Axminster Con Club 1.

FIXTURES (December 12th); Axe Valiants v Rocky II, Nags Head LR v Gerrard Arms, New Inn Kilm A v Lamb Swans, Stepps v Beer Club, Rocky II v Lamb Swans, New Inn Kilm B v Royal Oak, Gerrard Arms v Axminster Con Club.

	P	W	L	F	A	Pts
Nags Head.....	12	8	4	40	20	43
Beer Club.....	12	6	6	33	27	33
Rocky II.....	12	7	5	32	28	32
Royal Oak.....	12	7	5	31	29	31
Stepps.....	12	7	5	31	29	31
Lamb Swans.....	11	6	5	29	26	29
New Inn Kilminster B.....	12	7	5	29	31	29
New Inn Kilminster A.....	12	5	7	26	34	26
Gerrard Arms.....	12	3	9	26	34	26
Axminster Con Club.....	11	6	5	25	30	25
Ship Inn.....	10	4	6	25	25	25
Axe Valiants.....	12	4	8	23	37	20

Beer League	P	W	L	F	A	Pts
Rocky II.....	12	8	4	22	14	22
Royal Oak.....	12	7	5	21	15	21
New Inn Kilminster B.....	12	7	5	20	16	20
Gerrard Arms.....	12	8	4	19	17	19
Lamb Swans.....	11	7	4	19	14	19
New Inn Kilminster A.....	12	6	6	19	17	17
Stepps.....	12	5	7	17	19	17
Axminster Con Club.....	11	5	6	16	17	16
Nags Head.....	12	6	6	16	20	16
Ship Inn.....	10	4	6	14	16	14
Axe Valiants.....	12	3	9	14	22	14
Beer Club.....	12	4	8	13	23	13

Dorchester & District Snooker League

RESULTS: WDC Whipping Boys 0 Colliton Xq 2011 6, Colliton Hopefuls 5 Trinity M 3, West Dorset Club C 5 West Dorset Club A 3, Colliton Club B 5 Colliton Nomads 2, Purbeck Potters 2 Trinity Express 4, Trinity Gooduns 6 Colliton Cons 0.

30+ breaks: G.Haddow 50, S.Rhone 46, M.Beale 39.
Top Break of the Season: Mark Beale (Trinity Gooduns), Graham Bartlett (West Dorset Club A) both 66.

	Pld	W	D	LN/R	Pts	
Trinity Gooduns	11	7	1	3	0	46
West Dorset Club C	9	6	2	1	0	44
Trinity Express.....	11	4	2	5	0	42
Trinity M.....	11	4	2	5	0	41
Colliton Cons	10	6	1	3	0	39
West Dorset Club A.....	8	4	2	2	0	36
Purbeck Potters	9	2	4	3	0	34
WDC Whipping Boys	11	4	0	7	0	34
Colliton XQ2011	9	4	1	4	0	33
Colliton Club B.....	10	1	2	7	0	32
Colliton Nomads	9	4	1	4	0	28
Colliton Hopefuls	8	3	0	5	0	24

Team Handicap knock-out competition - 2nd Round: Colliton Club B v Trinity M (tonight), Colliton Cons v Trinity Express (tomorrow).

Team Open Knock-out Cup Semi-final draw: West Dorset Club C v Colliton Nomads (Dec 19th), West Dorset Club A v Colliton Cons (Dec 22nd) - both games at Trinity Club.

◆ REMINDER - LEAGUE RESULTS

Teams are reminded that results must be with the Secretary by 9am on the Sunday following the match.

Failure to notify results or cancellations to Secretary by this time results in a 2 point deduction for the home or cancelling team.

Colfox runners show their prowess

CROSS COUNTRY runners from The Sir John Colfox School once again produced the high standard for which they are renowned when the Junior Girls finished fifth in the recent English Schools South of England Championships held at Millfield School.

In Round One (South West of England) held at Leweston School, the Junior Girls ran superbly to finish second behind Millfield School to qualify for Round Two.

The Inter Girls and Inter Boys were almost as equally impressive but just missed out finishing fourth with only the first three progressing.

In round two the girls faced a huge challenge against all the top schools in the South of England, and in perfect conditions ran superbly as a team.

Rosa Jones finished in a most creditable fifth position, with Beth Hedges 25th and Yzzy Tiffin 39th.

She was followed in quick procession by Gabby McNamee (44th), Grace Butt (50th) and Polly Hughes (55th).

Coach Andy David said: "The standard was exceptionally high and the girls did really well to finish fifth overall out of the 12 best schools in the south of England.

"I am really proud with how they ran and they are a great bunch to work with because they really enjoy training and participating in the races.

"Three of them have only started running this year and for Rosa to finish fifth is quite remarkable."



■ IN-FORM: From left; Hannah Noonan, Rosa Jones, Polly Hughes, Gaby McNamee, Yzzy Tiffin, Grace Butt, Beth Hedges.

RUGBY ROUND-UP

with Keith Jenkin

Sin-bin dismissal costs Weymouth

WITH two of the four local sides having home games on Saturday last, and the third playing at Yeovil, I decided to watch none of them and to venture over to Chard to watch their game against Matson, the Gloucester club.

I VEL BARBARIANS 26 WEYMOUTH 22

WEYMOUTH learnt anew that it is essential to keep all 15 players on the field throughout the 80 minutes.

At first all went well for them. They certainly had the better of things in the first period, taking a three point lead after some ten minutes play via a Sheppard penalty goal. This lead was increased soon after with a close range Gary Hamlin try, converted by Sheppard after a successful catch and drive at a lineout, around the end of the first quarter.

The home side did get on the score sheet before the halfway stage with an unconverted try, only for Hamlin to get over for his second of the game from 15 yards out.

This try remained unconverted but nevertheless Weymouth, now leading 15-5, would have been the happier side at the halfway stage.

The pivotal action of the whole game took place early in the second period when one of the Weymouth props was sent to the bin after some persistent offending.

This left them a man short at scrum time and the home side took full advantage, running in three tries in his absence. They converted all three, capturing a bonus point in the process, and went into a healthy 26-15 lead with 20 minutes left.

Weymouth, now restored to full complement, had a mountain to climb, and they almost climbed it. They got back to within a score when Joe Wilson ran to the posts to score, with the try being converted by Sheppard.

They were still out of penalty goal range however and, although they spent the final few minutes camped on the home line, Ivel were able to concede penalties in defence with impunity and held on to deny Weymouth the win that had looked a regulation one just half an hour before.

In fact Saturday was not a good day for the Weymouth club all round for, although their second side was given a walk over by East Dorset, their thirds went down by 29-5 at Bournemouth fourths.

BRIDPORT 44 FROME 2nd 6

WHILE in no way wishing to detract from Bridport's performance, for they won and won well, Frome will not look back on the afternoon with overmuch affection.

They arrived with the bare 15 players and, after the home side had taken a seven point lead with a try by winger Her-

bert, converted by Harry Clark, they lost one of their second row forwards with a suspected broken ankle, and had to play the remainder of the game with only 14 men. They did compete in the short term, kicking two penalties, countered by a Clark effort, but could not sustain their effort.

Within the next few minutes Bridport had run in three tries, touched down by Matt Powne, Clark and Steffan McMasters. Clark converted two of them, taking the score to 29-6.

More was to come before the change round, with Dave Cutting breaking through the centre and scoring. Clark added the extras to this one also and, with the half-time score line standing at 36-6, Bridport were out of sight.

With the game well and truly won, the second-half seemed to drift rather and, although the home side dominated for much of the time, they did not match the energy of their first half display.

They did increase their lead when McMasters got over for his second try of the game, again converted by Clark who also kicked a penalty goal before the final whistle brought an end to Frome's suffering.

A side can do no more than beat the opponents who turn up on the day and Bridport did that and did it well, with both Ben Roberts-Wray and number eight Alex Munro prominent. One cannot help but feel a little sorry for the visitors, but that's rugby!

Not such good news for the Bridport second side. They travelled to New Milton 2nd and suffered a heavy defeat, going down 71-10.

MELKSHAM 5 DORCHESTER 20

THIS game, although eventually won, created more problems for the winners than it solved.

It all started well enough, with Dorchester taking a lead via the boot of Bament after a home player had stepped offside. Melksham were belying their league position however, handling with confidence and tackling like stags in defence.

A second Bament penalty increased the visitors lead before the home side showed its intent with an unconverted try. Having kicked a penalty award of their own to the corner they drove the ensuing maul over the Dorchester line only to be held up. They won the subsequent set scrum however and fed their blind side winger and he wriggled over in the corner.

This took the score line to 5-6 and increased the visitors' discomfort, but they came back with a good attack. First Baker made a thrust down the left and, when checked close to the line, recycled.

The switch came and Idris Croft found himself with "room

to turn aside and space to flee" and he touched down halfway out. Bament added the extras to put his side a score clear with half time approaching.

The second-half was a pretty turgid affair and, although Dorchester seemingly were having the better of exchanges overall, Melksham were knocking them over consistently and matters were far from settled.

The final score of the game came with a few minutes left and it came the way of the visitors. They turned over possession in midfield and sent the ball quickly wide for Baker to round what was by now a tiring cover and touch down. Bament added the extras to take his side to the win, the score line of which, flattered them.

The Dorchester second and third sides did not meet with the best of fortune. The seconds went down 23-12 at Swanage & Wareham thirds, while the thirds narrowly lost 24-27 to visitors Swanage & Wareham fourths.

DORCHESTER COLTS 10 NORTH DORSET COLTS 17

A PLETHORA of penalties conceded in the first half proved to be Dorchester's undoing, and, although Harry Smith countered an earlier place kick, his side lost the territorial battle and trailed 3-10 at the halfway stage.

They did play a little better in the second period, and equalised through a Josh Hosford try, converted by Smith. The visitors withstood all further pressure however and eventually turned over possession and broke out for their winger to run in from halfway and score by the posts.

PUDDLETOWN 18 FORDINGBRIDGE 2nd 0

THE home side certainly had the better of the early exchanges and, after coming close through Dovell, took the lead after just ten minutes via the boot of Yeatman who kicked a penalty goal.

The contest between the eights was proving to be an interesting affair, with the well drilled Fordingbridge having the edge at both scrum and lineout, while Puddletown were making their presence felt in the loose, and at the breakdown.

It was Yeatman however who increased his side's lead around the end of the first quarter by kicking another penalty and, when number eight Spicer got on the end of the final pass after a sweeping move, and galloped over out wide, the unconverted try put daylight between the sides at the change round.

The visitors were forced into a mainly defensive role after the break, and this they did stoutly enough. Eventually home

pressure told however and full-back House made a useful incursion into the line, ran into the gap and, with some mazy running wrong footing the defence, touched down by the posts.

Yeatman's place kick was again accurate and, although Fordingbridge did have their moments in attack during the final quarter, the Puddletown defence coped, and switched to the attack as the final whistle sounded.

PREVIEW

THE lower leagues have a Saturday off on December the tenth and PUDDLETOWN, together with the Bridport second side and the second and third teams of both the Dorchester and the Weymouth clubs, are without league fixtures. Puddletown however are arranging a vets game at home.

BRIDPORT take on BOURNEMOUTH thirds, a side whose season has been blighted by the odd concession and who lie very much in the bottom half of the league table.

They have taken one or two scalps too however and should not be taken lightly. I seem to remember watching their game at Weymouth early in the season and remember them as a predominantly young side who ran around a lot but who had no real pattern to their play. Bridport should win this one unless they get drawn into a shapeless conflict.

WEYMOUTH take on FROME seconds who lost heavily to Bridport last time out. While not detracting from Bridport's performance on that day, I do think that Frome had their problems and are a better side than that particular score line indicates.

However I feel that Weymouth, who are still top of the league, will take their frustrations at last week's loss out on these opponents and win with some comfort.

DORCHESTER face the toughest ask of the three. They entertain WALCOT, a side who are very much in the promotion hunt, and who have won their last three games, besting Wimbome 19-10 last time out.

They do not seem to travel all that well however, and this one could be close. Dorchester will have to play at a level that is nearer their ability than they did on Saturday last however.

Fixtures 10th December

Bridport v Bournemouth 3rd (away); Chard v North Bristol (away); Chard 2nd v Taunton 3rd; Crewkerne v Wiveliscombe 2nd; Dorchester v Walcot; Honiton v Teignmouth (away); Honiton 2nd v Ivybridge 2nd (away); Sidmouth v Camborne; Sidmouth 2nd v Barnstaple 2nd (away); Sidmouth 3rd v Barnstaple 3rd; Weymouth v Frome 2nd.

Bridport take bowl title

BRIDPORT U17 29 TROWBRIDGE 17

WITH the Bridport senior side failing to field a side in their county bowl competition, it fell to the Under-17s to uphold the honour of the club, a task they performed with some style, winning the Dorset & Wilts Bowl handsomely.

On neutral ground at North Dorset they produced a thrilling team performance, with everyone producing their best, particularly in light of the support of any substitutes.

It was a fast and open game which played to Bridport's strengths and they started as they meant to go on, with a try in the first three minutes with captain Will Haggerty touching down after the ball was moved quickly from the ruck following Jason Hoskins' break from the scrum.

Trowbridge responded immediately and were soon pressing Bridport hard, and eventually caught the Blues defence too narrow to score in the corner.

Bridport in turn responded and when James Hansford, pinched the line-out, the ball was quickly moved wide and with exemplary handling the ball eventually found Tom White who broke the line giving Haggerty the chance to repeat his earlier score.

The scores were soon levelled again when following another period of pressure and good defending, the Blues were eventually penalised for not rolling away at the ruck and a quick tap let the Trowbridge scrum half dive in to score.

The Wiltshire side then took the lead for the first time in the match when they were allowed to make ground without being tackled to score under the posts.

The try was converted despite the difficult wind, to leave Bridport trailing 10-17 at half-time.

The Blues upped the pressure after the interval, speeding up the recycling and after taking a scrum against the head, moved it quickly through the backs with Eli Halkes-Wellstead



picking up and diving through a gap in the defence to score.

They added another when Trowbridge made a mess of a line out allowing Haggerty to score under the posts with White converting.

Despite Trowbridge introducing their subs to boost their ranks, Bridport con-

stantly broke the opposition's line only to be thwarted by the tough tackling full-back who was finally beaten when Bob Lester-Card was in position to receive the pop pass off the floor.

He cantered under the posts when Haggerty was floored by him five metres out.

White again added the extras.

This was an impressive and well-earned victory, which will take Bridport into the National competition later in the season, with the possibility of a game at Twickenham, if they can keep up their winning ways.

Bridport youth football

IT was a good day for Bridport's youth teams in the Dorset Cup with all four teams progressing to the next rounds of the competition last weekend.

The **Under 10s** completed an impressive 6-1 win away at Branksome United.

This was an excellent team performance and even though Bridport went behind they stormed back playing some exiting, passing football. Elliott Crabb, Ryan Leader and Finlay Davy had excellent games in defence, with Leader getting on the scoresheet.

Cole Lydon scored twice and had an impressive game on the left linking well with Manny Cox in the centre who also scored. Morgan Napiers' passing was much improved and he scored in the first-half, whilst keeper Grant Rist dealt with everything in the second half, including a magnificent save at the end of the game.

The **under 11s** were level at 1-1 after extra time against Weymouth Cougars and went through in a nail biting penalty shoot out.

The **under 12s** also beat a Branksome side, and held on at the end under great pressure for a narrow 2-1 victory, whilst the **under 13 Bees** won at Broadstone with a comfortable 3-0 victory.

In league action the **under 14s** had to fight hard for a 3-2 victory against bottom of the table Sherborne. The home team's goalkeeper in inspired form kept the score down with at least six top draw saves.

Bridport went in front after great work from the in-form Kyle Napier. Jon Paul Avery's shot from his perfect cross was parried and Owen Ward tapped in from close range.

Bridport then failed to convert their chances and were punished by a breakaway equaliser which left the sides level at halftime.

In the second-half it was one way traffic and the home keeper produced three superb saves to foil Liam Sayers.

However, after exerted pressure, Bridport did score when he pulled Avery back and man of the match Napier coolly stepped up and planted the ball in the bottom left corner.

Bridport still could not see the game off and the unfortunate Tyman James diverted a cross into his own net to level the scores again.

But with just eight minutes left Sayers finally got the better of the keeper when he was set up by Luke Ward Jones to grab a valuable three points.

In other results the **under 15s** beat Sherborne Town at home 5-3 and the **under 16s** lost 2-0 to Shaftesbury Rockies.

FOOTBALL ROUND-UP

with Stuart Broom

Depleted Magpies give Knight winning start

MAIDENHEAD UNITED 0 DORCHESTER TOWN 1 - ATT: 269

RICO Wilson took his opportunity to show new boss Alan Knight what he could do by scoring the only goal of a game of few chances.

With a stomach bug sidelining a number of players and Ryan Dovell and Ryan Moss not available for the trip to York Road, Wilson was recalled from his loan spell at Wimborne Town, and staked a claim for the shirt soon to be vacated by Moss when he leaves the club later this month to take up a new job in London.

It was a tough baptism for Knight who was only appointed four days earlier and who had only met the players for the first time during training on Thursday evening.

Captain Mark Jermyn, one of the victims of the bug had recovered enough to take his place in the heart of the defence, but with the midfield also stripped of Nick Crittenden, Ashley Nicholls and Neil Martin, who did take his place on the bench, Knight drafted in Jamie Symes and Harry Bell together with Steve Devlin.

With the Berkshire Magpies short of confidence, having only collected two points from their previous ten games, Dorchester didn't give them time to settle and set a good tempo from the start.

Mark Nesbit did fire a shot just wide of the angle of goal frame on 18 minutes, but a minute later Dorchester took the lead. Wilson received the ball after a well constructed build up, and despite close attention he managed to find space to score with a crisp strike from just inside the box.

Dorchester could then have doubled the score following a free-kick just before the interval but keeper Billy Lumley made a fine save.

Maidenhead improved after the break but rarely troubled keeper Alan Walker-Green as his defence stood firm.

Dickenson wasted a great chance of doubling the Magpies advantage on 56 minutes when he headed wide from Devlin's free-kick, and despite a scare in added time when Manny Williams fired over the top from a good opportunity, Dorchester held out for an excellent victory and three well earned points.

Brakes fail as Terras snatch late win

WEYMOUTH 2 LEAMINGTON 1 - ATT: 622

MOST of the excitement in this game came in the last five minutes when Weymouth snatched victory over Evo-Stick South Premier League leaders Leamington with two added time goals.

After a pedestrian first-half, the Brakes picked up their game at the start of the second period, and it looked like it was a matter of time before they broke a hard working and resolute defence.

However an injury to central defender Jamie Hood with 20 minutes left saw influential Blades captain Richard Batchelor move back from midfield to replace him and with it a chance for Weymouth to get back in the game.

It looked like the Terras would at least take a point from the game, but then on 88 minutes the visitors were awarded a penalty for a trip by Ben Gerring on sub Luke Corbett which was converted by Jacob Blyth. This seemed to have sealed the Terras fate, but right on 90 minutes Warren Byerley equalised from the spot and two minutes into added time Craig Duff headed the winner to send the large Weymouth crowd home delighted.

Manager Brendon King stuck with the same starting eleven for the third game in a row following the two games against Havant & Waterlooville, but they failed to spark in the first half, and with Leamington also failing to suggest why they were table toppers it was a fairly flat first half. Only Batchelor and fellow midfielder James Husband showed any ingenuity in their play, whilst striker David Koldynski was lively and threatening.

After a stall opening ten minutes Leamington had the first shot on goal. Koldynski made a good run and cut inside and played a one-two with Blyth before forcing Tom Manley into a save to his left with a 20 yard strike.

It wasn't until midway through the half before there was a second shot on goal, again from Koldynski who was allowed to run

20 yards, but his attempted chip over Manley also sailed over the crossbar.

The Terras strike force was well marshalled by the Brakes defenders, but Matt Groves did manage to get in a shot but it was blocked by Craig Owen.

On the half hour Batchelor picked out Asa Charlton 10 yards from goal but Scott Dixon did well to block his shot at the expense of a corner. When Husband's resultant flag kick came back to him, he volleyed it at goal from an acute angle forcing a good save out of Manley at his near post.

Leamington appealed for a penalty when Gerring appeared to trip Koldynski, but referee Adam Penwell didn't fall for the striker's simulation and booked him.

The referee was proved right again two minutes from the break when it looked as if Duff had given the Terras the lead from a header after Gerring had nodded Lewis Tasker's free kick across goal.

After allowing treatment to a Brakes defender injured who had collided with Gerring, the referee consulted his linesman who had flagged immediately after Duff's header, and then rightly disallowed the goal and booked Duff for punching the ball into the net.

Leamington picked up their game after the interval and began playing with purpose and putting Weymouth under a lot of pressure. Koldynski once had Manley diving to his right to save his 20 yard effort before easily collecting Husband's attempt.

The keeper having recovered from the concussion sustained recently, then brilliantly turned away Koldynski's close volley after Blyth had squeezed a header through to him, and then spread himself at Batchelor's feet to smother his attempt.

There was some relief when Groves was sandwiched by two defenders, but Sam Malsom's free kick was straight at Blades keeper Lee Evans.

The Weymouth defence were working like Trojans to stem the attacks and full back Stephan Morley joined the onslaught but missed a great opportunity when he drove wide of the far post after playing a one-two with Husband.

Not to be outdone the other full back Michael Tuohy nonchalantly flicked the ball up 25 yards from goal before sending in a left foot volley that struck the outside of Manley's left post. Alex Taylor looked like he must score soon after when he teased defenders inside the box put eventually go the ball stuck under his feet and the ball was hacked for a corner from which Taylor struck the outside of the upright with his effort.

It was the injury to Hood however that came to Weymouth's rescue on 70 minutes.

The central defender had to be stretchered from the field after bravely blocking a shot. The removal of the influential Batchelor from midfield to take his place was significant, and Weymouth began to get back in the game.

On 77 minutes Weymouth were unlucky when Byerley met Malsom's cross with a thumping header, but it struck the top of the cross bar and went over.

The game looked to be heading for a goalless draw when Gerring tripped Corbett as he turned him and Blyth beat Manley with a shot high and wide to his right from the spot.

However Weymouth responded and when Morley pushed Gerring as they went for the ball, the referee pointed to the spot once more and Byerley did the business sending Evans the wrong way from the spot.

Honours once again even, no one expected the pulsating finish when sub Stephen Reed advanced down the right channel before stabbing a teasing cross into the box where Duff arrived to thump a header beyond Evans's groping left hand.

Leamington will feel aggrieved, but for Weymouth it makes up for the recent defeat by Redditch United where they conceded two late goals.

Magpies survive late barrage

DORCHESTER TOWN 3 POOLE TOWN 2 - ATT: 183

DORCHESTER Town moved into the last four of the Dorset Sen-

ior Cup but not without a scare as Poole Town scored twice in added time.

The holders appeared in no trouble at all as they took a three goal lead with just 55 minutes gone, and as time ticked down it looked no more than a formality, but a late comeback saw the Magpies jolted from their complacency with goals from Marvin Brooks and Scott Joyce.

Despite the announcement beforehand that former Portsmouth keeper Alan Knight was to be the new Magpies manager, his last duty with Havant & Waterlooville meant Phil Simkin and Mark Jermyn continued in their caretaker capacity.

Dorchester enjoyed a lot of the early play without troubling the Poole defence too much. Jamie Symes and Ben Dickenson both went close with shots before the Magpies took the lead on 37 minutes through Ryan Moss.

Dickenson found Symes with a measured ball and Moss was on hand to turn the former Bridport midfielder's cross home.

Former Magpie Taffy Richardson almost equalised with an overhead kick but Alan Walker-Harris turned his effort over the bar.

Moss became provider seven minutes after the break when he cut the ball back for Dickenson to score with ease, and when Steve Devlin smashed home the third soon after with a powerful volley, it looked all over.

However Poole kept plugging away and almost got one back when Tom Jeffes hit the post. As the game went into added time Brooks appeared to have scored a consolation when he converted Mickey Hubbard's corner, but three minutes later Joyce's effort was allowed to stand despite an obvious foul on Walker-Harris to make the score much closer than it should have been.

Terras down Hawks in replay

HAVANT & WATERLOOVILLE 0 WEYMOUTH 2 - ATT: 462

WEYMOUTH showed that the first meeting was no fluke when they downed Blue Square South opponents Havant & Waterlooville in their FA Trophy replay at Westfield Park.

The Hawks started the game better and Scott Jones' header forced Tom Manley into action, but Weymouth might have taken the lead on nine minutes when Sam Malsom found Warren Byerley free in the box, but the Terras skipper headed the ball over the top.

The rest of the half produced few efforts on goal, although Hawks keeper Lyall Beasley read Byerley's mind as he tried to take the ball around him to stop the visitors taking the lead.

Weymouth finally made the lacklustre hosts pay for their below par performance when Matt Groves gave them the lead on 54 minutes when stole through the box and prodded a shot deftly past Beasley from Byron Napper's exquisite through ball.

They doubled their lead on the hour when Byerley won the ball in the corner as Jake Newton dallied, and cut along the byeline before beating Beasley with a shot from an acute angle.

Malsom almost added a third soon after but his angled drive was averted at the near post by the Hawks' gloveman.

Manager Brendon King said: "It was a great win and thoroughly deserved, especially as over the two games we limited a side of their experience from a higher league to so few clear cut chances which is a credit to the side. We looked really good and deserved to win."

The victory means that Weymouth will host Chippenham Town this Saturday in the first round proper.

Bees looking for that goal touch

LONGWELL GREEN SPORTS 2 BRIDPORT 1 - ATT: 86

BRIDPORT failed to capitalise on their first half superiority at Longwell Green on Saturday and after taking the lead through Darren Watts conceded two second-half goals to remain in the lower reaches of the Toolstation Western League Premier Division.

Longwell were lethargic from the whistle and their tactics of hitting long balls for their strikers to chase which were often

over hit allowed Bridport to gain the upper hand.

The Bees took the lead on 16 minutes with a superbly worked goal when Dan Wise collected the ball just inside his half on the left. Turning and swivelling he hit a pinpoint diagonal cross to Jamie Morgan running down the right. He took one touch before playing the ball inside to Darren Watts who taking the ball in his stride, with the outside of his boot bent it around Sports keeper Austin Byfield into the far corner of the net.

Chris Senior then went close with a long range effort that just dipped at the last minute and cleared the bar by a fraction, before Byfield did well to deal with Wise's 30-yard shot that bounced in front of him.

Tom Richardson might well have doubled the advantage just before the break when he beat the offside trap, but he hesitated for a second allowing a Longwell defender to block his effort.

The hosts best chance of the half followed when Shane Evans conceded a free-kick on the edge of the box, but Sam Filkins diving to his right pushed the ball away.

Longwell started with more purpose in the second-half and equalised on 55 minutes with an excellent goal; Dave Parnell brilliantly heading home Joe Stradling's cross.

They took the lead eight minutes later from the penalty spot after skipper Darren Lock pulled Brad Norris back, and Andy Summers fired home from the spot.

Filkins had to deal with one more potent effort; tipping the ball over with two hands, but apart from that it was Bridport that created most.

Matt Condliffe was starting to cause trouble down the right side and delivering some good crosses which unfortunately came to nothing, and although Joe Charles fired one just wide and had another effort kicked off the line, Bridport could not find the goal they deserved on the balance of play.

Bees make hard work of it

BRIDPORT RES 2 CRANBORNE 0

BRIDPORT Reserves made hard work of their victory over lowly Cranborne, although their task was not made easier by the dismissal of Ashley Clarke just four minutes after he came on as a substitute.

The Bees opened well and created two or three good chances early on; the best of them falling to Ben Clarke following a good team move, and in the end were grateful to the visiting left back for their first goal; a thunderous 18-yard volley as he was running back towards his own goal.

However the visitors proved stubborn despite their lowly position and although Bridport created the better of the chances they could not add to their lead by halftime.

A well worked free-kick routine between Tristan Gale and Robin Jones increased the Bees lead before the hour; Jones curling his shot-cum-cross beyond the keeper.

Bridport were reduced to ten men not long after when Ashley Clarke was dismissed for dangerous play. It appeared a harsh decision as the opposing player ducked to allow the ball to pass just as Clarke challenged albeit with his foot off the ground.

Cranborne were as aggrieved as Bridport as their player was not felled by the incident and was through on goal with only keeper Jamie Fry to beat.

With 20 minutes left Cranborne were awarded a penalty for a foul by Paul Fellows but Fry brought off a sensational save to maintain the Bees lead.

The visiting gloveman not to be outdone, then produced a similarly spectacular stop to keep out Jack Scovell's header.

Joint manager Steve Crabb said: "It wasn't the best we have paid and credit to them, they were stubborn. Jamie's penalty save was important as we were down to ten men. I think it geed us up whilst knocking them back, and we then held on and kept our nerve to see the game out."

"I think both Ashley's red card and the penalty were rather harsh decisions, but we won through in the end."

Bridport Third's drew 1-1 with Gillingham Town A with Sam Day equalising in the second-half. As a result Bridport slip to third in Dorset League Division Two.

Weymouth rugby extras

Weymouth U13s 57 Bridport 0

DESPITE the continued absence of a key second row forward Lucas Jones through injury, Weymouth U13s maintained their winning form with a convincing nine tries to nil win over the visitors from Bridport.

Weymouth dominated the forward play giving Weymouth scrum-half Will Stone plenty of clean ball to work with.

Prop Morgan Pollock worked tirelessly and was unlucky not to be awarded a try after driving over from 10 metres out, but it was decided that he had put a foot in touch before grounding the ball.

Flanker Tyler Craig scored two excellent tries running deep from his own half.

Stone combined well with fly-half Morgan Wyatt and inside-centre Rory

Legg to spread the ball wide and release outside centre Troy Brocklebank and Winger Macauley Quinn who scored two tries each. Wyatt also scored two tries of his own and full-back James Davis added another.

But the best try of the game was a combined effort from winger Connor Hughes and number 8 Jack Terrey.

Hughes who picked up a loose ball 10 metres out and although he jinked through two tackles was held up short of the line; good support play from Terrey added the extra strength and weight required to drive him over the try line.

Wyatt converted six of the nine tries to give Weymouth a well deserved 57-0 victory and a big boost ahead of their County Cup meeting against North Dorset on the 11th December.

◆ *Man-of-the-Match: Morgan Wyatt.*

BY CHRIS DAVIS



■ **WRIGGLING FREE:** Match action from Weymouth under 13s 57-0 win over Bridport.

Photo by CHRIS DAVIS

A night to remember for Charmouth Bowls Club - and it's outgoing President

CHARMOUTH Bowls Club members and friends gathered at the Lyme Regis Golf Club last Friday evening for their annual President's dinner and presentation.

Gordon Hall, who had earlier announced his retirement as Club President, presented trophies that had been secured by members through the year.

In his retiring speech Gordon expressed the enjoyment and satisfaction he had gained in the role of President and wished the club continuing success in the future.

The club's chairman, Ivan Marks, gave a vote of thanks on behalf of all the members for the help and support that Gordon had given to the club both in his role as President and over a period of 30 years since its foundation.

He expressed his hope that the club would continue to have the pleasure of Gordon's



■ **THANK YOU:** Gordon Hall (left) pictured with Ivan Marks.

company at future bowls sessions in the forthcoming seasons.

The club are pleased to welcome their new President Jane Morrow who already plays an active role within the village community and looks forward to carrying on the work of such a worthy predecessor.

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INSIDE: Bridport RFC U17s in Vase triumph

Senior happy with his lot

By Stuart Broom

FOLLOWING the disappointment of being overlooked for the Dorchester Town manager's job, Bridport boss Trevor Senior got back to the business of guiding the Bees away from the lower reaches of the Toolstation Western League Premier Division, and although his side went down 2-1 after taking a first-half lead at Longwell Green Sports, he declared himself happy with his lot.

"Of course I'm disappointed at not getting the job, but I'm glad it has all been put to bed and I can look forward to managing Bridport without any distractions.

"I know Alan Knight very well from my time at Portsmouth (as a player) and when he was at Dorchester a few years ago as goalkeeping coach, and he's a thoroughly nice man, and I wish him all the best."

Senior also confirmed that he won't be applying for the post again in the future. "That's it now; I won't go for it again. I've had plenty of chances and it was obviously not meant to be, so I'll

move on.

"Ten years ago I was desperate for the job, but my priorities have changed. It's not sour grapes, but I have a challenge here at Bridport and I want to concentrate on that.

"They are a great bunch of people, enthusiastic and friendly and give me and the team great support."

Talking about Saturday's game he said: "I'm quite disappointed that we didn't get something out of the game. We did very well the first half and apart from 10 minutes were the better side.

"The pitch was a bit tricky but we knocked the ball around well and used the width of the pitch well and put in some useful crosses although I suppose to be fair we didn't force their keeper into too many saves.

"Our goal was a superb team effort, and it was unfortunate that we didn't score with one of the other good chances we had which would have

made it comfortable at half-time.

"I told the lads I couldn't believe they could be as bad as they were by their league position, and whilst they showed more in the second-half and got the two goals, I felt we deserved at least a point, and in many ways feel it was three points lost.

"Defensively they are a good team and whilst they haven't scored many they have not conceded too many either.

"Fortunately the results went for us again so we are no worse off, but we are not a million miles off getting the results our play deserves, and I know tables don't lie but we need to see games out and convert some scrappy goals when they present themselves.

"It's just keeping a bit of belief, I'm generally happy with how we are performing."

This week the Bees are on the road again at Odd Down (Bath) in a match where they should bring back points.

Pymore FC



■ DARK HORSES: Pymore are perfectly placed in midtable in Division Two of the Perry Street League and could yet make a bid for an instant return to Division One. Line-up, standing from left; Wayne Peck (Sponsor), Mark Hodder, Dean Obstancias, Leigh Dowe, Charlie Youngs, Phil Ackerman, Matt Tither (Player Manager) Darren Poole, Timmy Hussey, Stuart Hedditch (Joint Manager). Front; Jaime Smith, Rob Wayland, James Pitcher, Tom Gale, Brandon Scadding, Stephen Coombes, Ben Parminster, Scott Morris, Jason Sweet. Missing Chris Good, Cameron Murless.

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